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UNITED STATES COAST SURVEY,
SHOWING
THE PROGRESS OF THE SURVEY
DURING
THE YEAR 1868.

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Attest:

GEO. C. GORHAM,
Secretary.

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Attest:

EDWARD MCPHERSON,
Clerk.

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LETTER
FROM THE
SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY,
TRANSMITTING
ANNUAL REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF COAST SURVEY FOR 1868.

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, D. C., *February 2, 1869.*

SIR: I have the honor to transmit, for the information of the House of Representatives, a report made to this Department by Benjamin Peirce, LL.D., Superintendent of the United States Coast Survey, on the progress of that work during the year ending November 1, 1868, and an engraved sketch showing the general progress made in the survey of the Atlantic, Gulf, and Pacific coasts; also the manuscript map of progress brought up to the same date, in accordance with the act of Congress approved March 3, 1853.

I have the honor to be, very respectfully,

H. McCULLOCH,
Secretary of the Treasury.

Hon. SCHUYLER COLFAX,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT.

COAST SURVEY OFFICE, *December 28, 1868.*

SIR: In conformity with law, I have the honor to present the following report on the progress of the survey of the coast, under my superintendence, during the past year:

The various branches of the field-work have been in active operation in seventy different sites on the Atlantic, Gulf, and Pacific coasts of the United States, as will be seen by reference to the tabular statement which accompanies this report as Appendix No. 1.

During the year ending with the present month, progress has been made in the regular operations of the survey at Penobscot Entrance, and on the group known as the Fox Islands in Penobscot Bay, including also the Thoroughfare Passage; in the completion of work on the George's River and on Medomak River; in the completion of soundings in Muscongus Bay and near Kennebec Entrance; in extension of the survey of the Kennebec between Merrymeeting Bay and Augusta; in the detailed topography of islands in Casco Bay; in a minute survey of the vicinity of Munjoy Hill, (Portland,) for the city authorities; in a development of the vicinity of Half-Way Rock, (Casco Entrance;) and in general progress in Saco Bay, coast of Maine. On the sea-coast and inside of Cape Cod Peninsula, outstanding work has been completed by three parties; changes affecting navigation have been developed off Monomoy Point, Massachusetts, and two parties have continued the detailed survey of Narraganset Bay, in Rhode Island. In New York Harbor, a special examination has been made between Governor's Island and the Narrows, for the city authorities; and a survey to develop facilities for navigation at Rondout, on the Hudson River. Progress has been made in the coast topography of New Jersey, at Barnegat Bay. Two parties have been employed in defining and sounding the estuaries of Chesapeake Bay, and of the lower part of the Potomac; and a special examination has been made of shoals obstructing the navigation of the Rappahannock River. The primary triangulation has been in progress connecting stations near Washington City with others on the Blue Ridge. The off-shore hydrography has been prosecuted north of Cape Hatteras toward the Virginia line. In North Carolina, the detailed survey of the Neuse River has been completed, and triangulation and hydrography have been continued in Pamlico Sound. The triangulation south of Charleston has been connected with stations on the Savannah River, and progress has been made in the detailed survey of the branches of Port Royal Sound. On the coast of Georgia, St. Catharine's Sound, St. Andrew's Sound, and Doboy Sound have been surveyed, and soundings have been completed at the last-named entrance. Outstanding work in the vicinity of Barnes's Sound, Florida, has been nearly completed, and investigations of great interest have been prosecuted in the Florida Strait. Two parties have continued the survey of St. Joseph's Bay, (north,) and a third has been employed on the Gulf coast between Perdido Bay and Mobile Point. On the coast of Louisiana, the triangulation of Isle au Breton Sound has been completed, and soundings have been made in the bays and lagoons between the Mississippi Passes. Last Island has been connected by triangulation with the coast, and the true position has been determined of Ship-Shoal light-house, off Last Island. At Galveston, Texas, the longitude has been determined by the telegraphic method, in continuation of a series of observations terminating in a previous year at New Orleans. Soundings have been continued in Galveston Bay. At Lavaca, latitude, azimuth, and the magnetic elements have been determined, and the hydrographic survey has been continued in Corpus Christi Bay.

On the coast of California, the survey has been in progress between Point Conception and Buenaventura, and on the peninsula near San Francisco; on the coast of Oregon, at the Yaquina River, at Nehalem River entrance, and at Columbia River; and in the waters of Washington Territory, at Port Madison and Port Discovery.

ESTIMATES.

The attention of the country has been frequently called to the cost of the survey, and to the amount of time and labor which have been expended upon it. But a full reply is the simple fact that the value of the survey greatly exceeds its cost. Its results are cheaply purchased, and are fully appreciated by the mercantile community, who are ready enough to pay for them, having more than once expressed anxiety lest a mistaken spirit of economy should lead to injudicious restriction of the operations. To bring produce to the consumer is the object of trade, and everything that facilitates this object must be a public benefaction. To lessen the dangers of navigation is to diminish the expenses of each man's living; it takes from the price of every article which comes from foreign countries, and still more from the many domestic products carried to the consumer from the producer along the difficult or dangerous parts of our coast. Every new channel discovered is, when developed, an immediate addition to the wealth of the country. The consumer is at one end and the producer at the other, and both are equally benefited. Hence there is no State of the Union which has not a valuable interest in the survey of the coast. The agricultural products and manufactures of the interior States are not less interested in the coast trade than the merchants themselves, through whom the traffic is directly conducted. By the authority of Congress the survey may be carried "as far inland as the ports and harbors for commerce," and as far as "may be necessary for purposes of commerce." Now, there are, far in the interior, ports of entry, as upon the Mississippi and its tributaries. If these are not to be neglected, it is time to commence their survey; and it will be wise to decide at the outset whether operations shall be restricted to the simple demands of the hydrography, or whether they shall be extended as a geodetic survey, which may serve for the basis of geologic and other surveys to be made by the States, and which would be invaluable to engineers in the locating of railroads and other improvements.

The following estimates were submitted to the Department in October last. Like those of last year—compared with which they are somewhat diminished—they exceed the appropriations of preceding seasons. The estimate is, as nearly as possible, that which is requisite to maintain the most economical action without augmenting the present scale of the survey. It is the least amount that will keep the parties steadily at work and preserve this service in a constant state of useful activity. The laying out of the work is carefully adjusted to meet the commercial wants of the whole country, and is in strict accordance with the plan of progress which has been hitherto approved.

ESTIMATES IN DETAIL.

For general expenses of all the sections, namely: rent, fuel, materials for drawing, engraving, and printing, and for transportation of instruments, maps, and charts; for miscellaneous office expenses, and for the purchase of new instruments, books, maps, and charts..... \$20,000

SECTION I. Coast of Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, and Rhode Island.—**FIELD-WORK.**—To continue the triangulation of *Passamaquoddy Bay* and its branches, and to extend the work so as to include the northeastern boundary along the *St. Croix River*; to continue the topography of *Frenchman's Bay*; that of the islands and shores of *Penobscot Bay*; that of *Saco Bay*; and of the shores and islands of *Narraganset Bay*; to continue off-shore soundings along the coast of Maine, and the hydrography of *Frenchman's Bay*, *Goldsborough Bay*, *Penobscot Bay*, and *Isle au Haut Bay*; to continue tidal and magnetic observations. **OFFICE-WORK.**—To make the computations from field observations; to continue the engraving of general coast chart No. I, (*Seal Island to Cape Cod*), and complete that of No. II, (*Cape Cod to Gay Head*);

- to continue the drawing and engraving of No. 4, (*Naskeag Point to White Head Light*, including *Penobscot Bay*;) that of charts Nos. 5 and 6, (*White Head Light to Wood Island Light*;) that of Nos. 7 and 8, (*Seguin Light to Cape Porpoise Light*;) and of coast chart No. 13, (*from Cuttyhunk to Point Judith, including Narraganset Bay*;) and to continue the drawing and engraving of the harbor and river charts of the coast of Maine, and of *Narraganset Bay*, will require..... \$80, 000
- SECTION II. Coast of Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, and part of Delaware.**—FIELD-WORK.—To make supplementary astronomical observations; to continue verification work on the coast of *New Jersey*; to continue the topography of the shores of the *Hudson River*; to execute such supplementary hydrography as may be required in *New York Bay* and *Delaware Bay*; to continue the tidal observations. OFFICE-WORK.—To make the computations and reductions; to continue the drawing and engraving of a chart of *New York Harbor* on a large scale; also of coast chart No. 21, (*from Sandy Hook to Barnegat*;) and of No. 22, (*from Barnegat Bay to Absecon Inlet*;) will require..... 15, 000
- SECTION III. Coast of part of Delaware, and that of Maryland, and part of Virginia.**—FIELD-WORK.—To continue astronomical and magnetic observations in this section; to continue the primary triangulation parallel to the coast, from *Washington City* southward along the *Blue Ridge*; to continue the topography of the *Eastern Shore* of *Virginia*, and of the shores of *James River*, and triangulation requisite therefor; to make the hydrographic survey of estuaries and inlets remaining unsurveyed in this section; to continue tidal observations, and to make observations for determining the longitude of the *Pacific coast*. OFFICE-WORK.—To make the computations from field-work; to continue the drawing and engraving of coast charts Nos. 29 and 30, (*from Chincoteague Inlet to Cape Henry*;) and of general coast chart No. IV, (*approaches to Delaware and Chesapeake Bays*;) and to engrave supplementary work on the charts heretofore published, will require..... 35, 000
- SECTION IV. Coast of part of Virginia and part of North Carolina.**—FIELD-WORK.—To complete, if practicable, the primary triangulation of *Pamlico Sound*, and to make the requisite astronomical and magnetic observations; to continue the triangulation and topography of the western shores and estuaries of *Pamlico Sound*; to complete the topography of the outer coast of *North Carolina*, between *Bogue Sound* and *New River Inlet*; to continue the in-shore and off-shore hydrography of this section; to continue soundings in *Currituck* and *Pamlico Sounds*, and their estuaries, and to make observations on the tides and currents. OFFICE-WORK.—To make the computations and reductions; to continue the drawing and engraving of general coast chart No. V, (*from Cape Henry to Cape Lookout*;) of coast charts Nos. 38 and 39, (*coast from Currituck Banks to Cape Hatteras*;) of Nos. 42, 43, and 44, (*Pamlico Sound and estuaries*;) of Nos. 45 and 46, (*coast from Cape Hatteras to Cape Lookout*;) and of charts of the *Neuse River* and *Pamlico River*, will require..... 35, 000
- SECTION V. Coast of South Carolina and Georgia.**—FIELD-WORK.—To make the requisite astronomical and magnetic observations on the coast of *Georgia*; to extend the topography from *Winyah Bay* to *Cape Romain*; to complete the topography from *St. Simon's Sound* southward to the *St. Mary's River*; and to sound the interior water-passages among the *Sea Islands* from *Sapelo Sound* southward, and continue off-shore hydrography and the tidal observations. OFFICE-WORK.—To make the computations; to continue the drawing and engraving of the general coast chart No. VII, (*from Cape Romain to St. Mary's River*;) of coast charts Nos. 56 and 57, (*from Savannah River to St. Mary's River*;) and of charts of *Altamaha Sound*, *St. Andrew's Sound*, and the inland tide-water communication on the coast of *Georgia*, will require..... 40, 000
- SECTION VI. Coast, keys, and reefs of Florida.**—FIELD-WORK.—To determine the longitude of several points on the west coast of *Florida*; to continue the triangulation and

topography from <i>Matanzas Inlet</i> southward to <i>Mosquito Inlet</i> ; to complete the survey of the keys and sounds between <i>Key Largo</i> and <i>Cape Sable</i> ; to commence the survey of <i>Tampa Bay</i> ; to continue the hydrography of the <i>Florida Reef</i> , between the <i>Marquesas</i> and the <i>Tortugas</i> , and that of the <i>Strait of Florida</i> ; to complete the hydrography of the <i>Bay of Florida</i> , and to make tidal and magnetic observations. OFFICE-WORK.—For computing from field observations; to continue the drawing and engraving of off-shore chart No. XI, (<i>western part of Florida Reef, including the Tortugas</i> ;) of coast charts Nos. 75 and 76, (<i>from Caloosa Entrance to Tampa Entrance</i> ;) and of coast charts Nos. 70 and 71, (<i>Key West to Tortugas</i> ;) will require.....	\$35,000
SECTION VII. <i>Western coast of Florida, peninsula north of Tampa Bay, and coast of West Florida</i> .—FIELD-WORK.—To continue the triangulation from <i>Cedar Keys</i> toward the <i>Suwannee River</i> ; from <i>St. Andrew's Bay</i> toward <i>Chattahoochee Bay</i> ; and to make such astronomical and magnetic observations as may be required; to continue the topography to the westward of <i>St. Andrew's Bay</i> and that of the <i>Gulf coast</i> adjacent to <i>Santa Rosa Sound</i> ; to survey and sound the entrance to the <i>Suwannee River</i> ; to complete the hydrography of <i>St. George's Sound</i> ; and to make soundings off <i>Cape San Blas</i> , and continue the tidal observations. OFFICE-WORK.—To make the computations from field-work; to continue the drawing and engraving of coast charts Nos. 82 and 83, (<i>from Ocilla River to Cape San Blas</i> ;) and of No. 89, (<i>from Pensacola to Mobile Point</i> ;) and to prepare a chart of the approaches and entrance to <i>Suwannee River</i> , will require.....	30,000
SECTION VIII. <i>Coast of Alabama, Mississippi, and part of Louisiana</i> .—FIELD-WORK.—To continue the triangulation from the <i>Mississippi Delta</i> westward, and to make the astronomical and magnetic observations required in this section; to commence triangulation for the survey of the <i>Mississippi</i> and its tributaries in the vicinity of <i>St. Louis</i> , <i>Cincinnati</i> , and such other points as may be practicable; to complete the survey of the shores of <i>Isle au Breton Sound</i> , and of the adjacent banks of the <i>Mississippi</i> ; to continue the hydrography within the same limits and that of <i>Lake Borgne</i> and <i>Lake Pontchartrain</i> ; and to make tidal observations. OFFICE-WORK.—To make the computations pertaining to field-work; to continue the drawing and engraving of the general chart No. XIV, (<i>Gulf coast between Mobile Point and Vermilion Bay</i> ;) of coast charts No. 91, (<i>Lake Borgne and Lake Pontchartrain</i> ;) Nos. 92 and 93, (<i>Chandeleur Island to Southwest Pass</i> ;) and No. 94, (<i>Mississippi Delta</i> ;) will require.....	50,000
SECTION IX. <i>Coast of part of Louisiana and coast of Texas</i> .—FIELD-WORK.—To measure a primary base-line; to continue the triangulation and topography of <i>Madre Lagoon</i> from <i>Corpus Christi Bay</i> southward; to complete the hydrography of <i>Aransas</i> , <i>Copano</i> , and <i>Espiritu Santo Bays</i> ; to continue the off-shore hydrography, and to make the requisite tidal observations. OFFICE WORK.—To make the office computations; to complete the engraving of coast chart No. 107, (<i>Matagorda and Lavaca Bays</i> ;) to continue the drawing and engraving of Nos. 108 and 100, <i>Gulf coast from Matagorda to Corpus Christi Bay</i> ; to engrave the re-survey of <i>Galveston Entrance</i> ; and to continue the drawing and commence the engraving of general chart No. XVI, <i>Gulf coast from Galveston to the Rio Grande</i> , will require.....	30,000
Total for Atlantic coast and Gulf of Mexico.....	370,000

The estimates for the *Pacific coast* of the United States are intended to provide for the following progress in the survey :

SECTION X. *Coast of California*.—FIELD-WORK.—To make the required observations for latitude, longitude, and azimuth, at stations of the primary triangulation, and to make magnetic observations; to connect the islands of *Santa Cruz*, *Santa Rosa*, and

San Miguel with the coast triangulation; to execute the topography of the same, and continue the topography of the coast from *Buenaventura* to *Santa Barbara*, and from *Point Conception* northward; to continue the off-shore hydrography of the coast of *California*, and the tidal observations. OFFICE-WORK.—To make the computations of observations, and to continue the drawing and engraving of the maps and charts made in the field; also for the operations in

SECTION XI. Coast of Oregon and of Washington Territory. —FIELD-WORK.—To continue the astronomical and magnetic observations in this section, and the triangulation, topography, and hydrography in <i>Washington Sound</i> and in <i>Puget Sound</i> ; to continue the survey of the mouth of the <i>Columbia River</i> ; and to make such special surveys as may be called for by public interests on the coast of <i>Oregon</i> and <i>Washington Territory</i> ; and to continue the drawing and engraving dependent on the field-work and hydrography, will require.....		\$175, 000
For publishing the observations made in the progress of the survey of the coast of the United States, per act of March 3, 1843.....		5, 000
For repairs and maintenance of the complement of vessels used in the survey of the coast, including the purchase of new vessels to replace those too old for repairs, per act of March 2, 1853.....		60, 000
For pay and rations of engineers for the steamers used in the hydrography of the coast survey, no longer supplied by the Navy Department, per act of June 12, 1858.....		5, 000

The annexed table shows, in parallel columns, the appropriations made for the fiscal year 1868-'69, and the estimates now submitted for the fiscal year 1869-'70:

Objects.	Estimated for 1869-'70.	Appropriated for 1868-'69.
For survey of the Atlantic and Gulf coasts of the United States, including compensation of civilians engaged in the work, per act of March 3, 1843	\$370, 000	\$275, 000
For continuing the survey of the Pacific coast of the United States, including compensation of civilians engaged in the work, per act of September 30, 1850	175, 000	130, 000
For publishing the observations made in the progress of the survey of the coast of the United States, including compensation of civilians engaged in the work, per act of March 3, 1843.	5, 000	5, 000
For the repairs and maintenance of the complement of vessels used in the survey of the coast, per act of March 2, 1853.....	60, 000	30, 000
For pay and rations of engineers for the steamers used in the hydrography of the coast survey, no longer supplied by the Navy Department, per act of June 12, 1858	5, 000	10, 000
Total.....	615, 000	450, 000

ASTRONOMY.

The discussion of the results for our astronomical latitudes, depending upon observations with the zenith-telescope, has pointed to defective catalogue-places of a number of stars, which it was desirable to replace by better determinations. In September, 1866, the United States Naval Observatory was requested to re-observe the north polar distances of about three hundred and forty-eight stars thus selected from our results as unsatisfactory. This request being kindly acceded to in March last, Commodore B. F. Sands, U. S. N., Superintendent of the Naval Observatory, communicated the results of the observations made with the transit-circle of the Observatory. All were referred to the epoch 1870.0, and the transcript was accompanied by the usual constants to facilitate the reduction from mean to apparent places. On an average, each of the stars was observed on three nights. The incorporation of these observations in our discussions has materially improved the results for latitude.

In this connection, I would also allude to a series of observations undertaken by Professor Joseph Winlock, director of the Cambridge (Harvard College) Observatory, for improving the list of assigned star-places. The list of so-called "time-stars" of the American Ephemeris and Nautical Almanac has proved to be not large enough to meet all the wants of the Coast Survey in telegraphic and other longitude determinations. A list of five hundred and forty-five stars between 30° and 70° north declination, at intervals of about two minutes in right ascension, was therefore selected, and the separate stars were observed with the meridian-circle of the observatory. In this service about five thousand observations were recorded. In reducing these, the places in the American Ephemeris were used as standard places.

It is proposed to continue observations on the stars in the list referred to, together with those in the standard catalogue, by means of the improved apparatus of the Cambridge Observatory, for absolute determinations of both right ascension and declination, in order to furnish a catalogue to serve for longitude and latitude determinations. The value of such a list for latitude determinations will be considerable, the fact being that the method almost exclusively used upon the survey is that which employs the zenith telescope, the results of which depend directly upon the assigned north polar distances of the stars used for latitude.

In order to fill the intervals of the time-star list heretofore used, Assistant George Davidson has compiled a supplementary list. These, combined with the entries in the previous list, give an average interval of less than five minutes, and thus much time is saved in making any given series of observations. The star-positions inserted by Mr. Davidson depend upon about twelve thousand observations.

MAGNETISM.

At the magnetic station in Washington, Assistant Charles A. Schott has made uninterrupted monthly observations since January, 1867. Professor Winlock, at the Cambridge Observatory, has coöperated in this branch of inquiry: During a period of about a year, closing in May last, regular determinations were made of the magnetic declination, dip, and intensity, on three days at the middle of each month. These observations included the daily range of the declination, and furnished results for the annual and secular changes, in addition to the determination of the mean amounts. Unfortunately the Cambridge series was interrupted by the resignation of the observer, Mr. Searle. The Washington series will be steadily continued by Assistant Schott.

TIDES.

The general theory of the tides has been intrusted to William Ferrel, esq., whose profound and elaborate researches have advanced the solution quite beyond his predecessors. He has been especially successful in the introduction of terms depending upon friction. These have materially modified the theoretical results and have brought them into closer harmony with observation.

A full series of nineteen years of tidal observations having been completed at the Boston dry-dock, Mr. Ferrel undertook a thorough discussion of them to obtain the constants which theory leaves to be determined from observation for each port, and which are necessary for completing the formulæ, and for preparing tables of prediction.

The method adopted in obtaining the first averages of groups of observations, contained within certain small limits of the arguments, is the same as Lubbock's in the discussion of the London and Liverpool observations, with, however, some important modifications. Circular arguments have been used, because of several advantages, instead of parallaxes and declinations. Longitudes were substituted for declinations, and the moon's and sun's anomalies for parallaxes. From the average results of as many observations as could be conveniently included in the same group, used as normals, the compound tide-wave, by means of various combinations of these normals, has been resolved into its principal components, and the constants belonging to each have been obtained by the method of least squares. The object has not been to obtain directly all the constants belonging to all the terms of any theoretical development, but rather to obtain a few fundamental constants, upon which all the others depend, and from which they can be obtained by the aid of theory. The discussion, however, has not been confined to the least number which theory requires to be

determined from observation; but the constants of a great number of inequalities, in addition to the number which theory requires, have been obtained for the sake of comparison with theory, though it has not been thought necessary to undertake to get out the constants of all the inequalities belonging to any theoretical development. Most of the constants would be unimportant practically, and it would require a vast amount of labor to obtain them from a discussion of the observations, with as much accuracy as they would have when derived theoretically from the fundamental constants by means of only a tolerably accurate theory.

Although circular arguments have been used in the discussion for the sake of advantages which they afford, both practically and for theoretical purposes, yet in the final forms in which the results are put for practical purposes, parallaxes and declinations are used as arguments, since, by such means, the number of arguments is much lessened, and the computation of the predictions of the tides much shortened.

Mr. Ferrel's report, giving a detailed account of the discussion, with full explanations of the method adopted, and containing all the results, together with various comparisons of them with theory, and with corresponding results found for European ports, and also auxiliary tables to be used for the purpose of prediction, is contained in the Appendix, (No. 5.) Not the least interesting of the particulars contained in that paper is the determination of the moon's mass from the relation of the constants obtained as results of the discussion.

LIGHT-HOUSE BOARD.

The intimacy of relation between the developments of the survey and the light-house service has been maintained as heretofore. The Board is thus furnished with data proving the necessity, in certain cases, of changing the position of aids to navigation, and the changes when made are marked on our charts.

In the frequent questions referred to me for consideration concerning the expediency of dispensing with lights or buoys in some places, and of establishing aids to navigation in others, I have had the able and practical advice of the hydrographic inspector of the Coast Survey, Captain Patterson. Some of these questions take rise in local interest only; but all such are, though in a restricted sense, important. In serving the ends alluded to, regard is not withdrawn from the requisites for general navigation, both objects being taken into view jointly when questions arise. The effort will be to systematize, so that a given number of lights may be as effective as possible.

Among the questions of the present year are some concerning lights on the lakes, and a system for the navigation of Chesapeake Bay, to which special attention was given by my colleague on the committee, General Hartman Bache. Besides the coast-lights pertaining to our own waters, attention has also been given to a proposal, communicated through the Department of State, from the commission of light-houses in Spain, for changing the character of the lights near the Straits of Gibraltar; and also to the system of lights proposed by a mixed commission of American and British authorities for the waters of the empire of Japan.

The various inquiries in regard to lights or buoys on the coast and Lakes of the United States connect with the following localities: Half-Way Rock, (Casco Bay;) Pollock Rip, and Shovelfull Shoal, off Monomoy, Massachusetts; Black Rock Harbor, Connecticut; Cliffwood, New Jersey; Peconic Bay, (Long Island, New York;) the lights of Hudson River above and below Albany; the lights of Chesapeake Bay; two sites in the Rappahannock River; Elizabeth River, Virginia; Bodie's Island; Laurel Point, (Albemarle Sound,) and Cape Fear Entrance, North Carolina; Charleston Bar, South Carolina; Fernandina Bar, Florida; the Florida Reefs; Cape San Blas; Pensacola Entrance; Horn Island and Deer Island, (Mississippi Sound;) Matagorda Entrance, Texas; the lights of Lake Champlain; Oswego, New York; Lake Muskegon, North Bay and Bayley's Harbor, Wisconsin; Beaver Bay, (Lake Superior;) Yaquina Bay and Columbia River, Oregon; and the lights requisite for the coast of Alaska.

OBITUARIES.

The past year has been marked by the death of several whose experience, gained in many years of service, was of great value to the Coast Survey.

Assistant Samuel A. Gilbert died at St. Paul, Minnesota, on the 9th of June. He was brigadier

general by brevet, for active and meritorious services in the field during the recent war; and, as a civilian, was one of the most experienced of the assistants in triangulation and topography. The resolutions passed at a meeting of his associates, a few days after his decease, well express the sterling qualities of the man, as evinced within my own knowledge during the short period of my personal acquaintance with him. In the hope of recovering from the effect of hardships undergone in the military service, Assistant Gilbert left his home and his interesting family at Zanesville, Ohio, and dwelt during the greater part of a year at St. Paul. The cessation from active duty brought some measure of personal comfort, but failed to restore strength to his powerful frame and constitution, which finally wasted in consumption.

At a meeting of the assistants in the Coast Survey, present in Washington, on the 19th of June, 1868, the following resolutions were adopted:

"Whereas information has reached us of the death, at St. Paul, Minnesota, on the 9th instant, of our friend and associate, Brevet Brigadier General Samuel A. Gilbert, assistant in the Coast Survey:

"*Resolved*, That the officers of the Coast Survey learn with profound grief and sensibility of the removal from among them, by death, of one whose high qualities had impressed themselves on all who became associated with him, and whom they equally loved and respected.

"*Resolved*, That they recognized in their late associate the possession of those eminent abilities which are sure to lead to distinction, whether displayed in scientific pursuits or in military life. He possessed sound discretion and judgment, combined with vigor and energy in action. Setting his aims high, he was only satisfied when he attained his own ideal. He combined in an eminent degree gentleness with courage, modesty with knowledge, and self-control with enthusiasm. He gave his services as a military officer to the country during the late war, with the same ardor and vigorous ability which had marked his civil career, and won merited distinction.

"*Resolved*, That the Superintendent of the Coast Survey be respectfully requested to cause a copy of these resolutions to be placed upon the records of the Coast Survey, in token of our appreciation of the merits of our late valued associate, and to communicate these proceedings to his family."

Sub-Assistant Clarence Fendall died in active service at Norfolk, Virginia, on the 18th of September, being at the time of his last illness in command of the schooner *Hassler*, and of a hydrographic party. He was favorably known among his associates in the work by his amiable disposition, and, to those with whom he was assigned to coöperate, by constitutional activity, industry, and commendable zeal in the progress of any work given into his charge. Among the assistants whose services were recognized as useful in furthering military and naval operations during the late war, none was more conspicuous than Mr. Fendall. His services as topographer, during the siege of Vicksburg, were repeatedly recognized by Admiral Porter. While in that service Mr. Fendall contracted a form of disease that afterward became chronic, and thus his death was hastened.

Mr. Edward Wharton, who had been for a long period attached to the office in Washington, died suddenly at Baltimore, on the 15th of January. In the general oversight of work in the engraving division, and previously in the discharge of clerical duties connected with that branch of the office, he was conscientious and methodical. Mr. Wharton had won general esteem by his gentleness and urbanity.

The faithful watchman at the Coast Survey Office, W. P. Patterson, whose honesty and vigilance were much relied on by my predecessor during the eventful year 1861, died, after a short illness, on the 23d of September.

PART II.

In the following notices only the essential facts connected with each survey will be given. The notices will be arranged as heretofore in geographical order, beginning with field-work on the coast of Maine, and terminating, for the Atlantic and Gulf coast, with mention of work done on the coast of Texas. Passing to the Pacific coast the notices will be arranged differently, the most southern site of work being named first, and the others in geographical order going northward and terminating in Washington Territory.

In order to bring into more effective relation the triangulation, and the other branches of the work which depend upon it, the charge of details bearing upon local and secondary triangulation has been committed to Assistant Richard D. Cutts. Among these details are comprised exactness of result in providing for topographical work or hydrography; the proper connection of local work with the primary triangulation; the preservation of station-marks; and such personal oversight in the field as will secure unity and consistency in the character of the triangulation. This work has been pushed in five different localities in Section I, for the purpose of supplying data for the prompt and successful advance of the topography and hydrography. Part of the results obtained make provision for the progress of those branches of the service next year. Appendix No. 1 shows the number of triangulation and other parties that have worked in each of the coast sections, and the order in which the sites of work are named in that list is conformable with the arrangement of the detailed notices which will be entered upon presently.

Much of the topography being prospectively called for by the condition, at the opening of the season, of the drawings and engravings of adjacent parts, the services of Assistant H. L. Whiting have been continued, as well in regard to such additional details, and in the study of limits for new sites of work, as in suggestions for securing uniformity in topographical method and style, by personal intercourse with the plane-table parties.

As in former years, the care and outfit, and all that pertains to the vessels used in the field-work and hydrography, have been under the charge of Captain C. P. Patterson, the hydrographic inspector. In addition to this important routine, and to the office details connected with hydrographic work, Captain Patterson has given constant attention to the movements of the parties employed in sounding, and to means of securing the utmost use of the data yielded by field-work.

The field-parties, whose operations will now be recited, have already experienced the advantage to be derived from such a special study of separate and yet dependent details as that just alluded to. The duties of superintendence have been thus much facilitated by the comprehensive review which can be so readily had in conference with three of the most experienced assistants. I would here bear testimony to their steady devotion to the interests of the survey.

Similar advantages are looked for in the prosecution of future surveys on the western coast. Assistant George Davidson sailed in November, and is now at San Francisco. His knowledge of the state of the work on the Pacific coast, and of the prospective requirements, will be available in conducting the operations of the coming year.

SECTION I.

ATLANTIC COAST OF MAINE, NEW HAMPSHIRE, AND MASSACHUSETTS, AND OF RHODE ISLAND AS FAR SOUTH AS POINT JUDITH.—(SKETCHES NOS. 1 AND 2.)

*Triangulation of the Fox Islands and Isle au Haut, (Penobscot Bay, Maine).—*To provide for the continuance of plane-table work on the islands lying in Penobscot Bay. Assistant G. A. Fairfield commenced on the 30th of July to determine the requisite points. Starting from known stations, one of which is the primary point on Isle au Haut, a triangulation was extended westward to include Vinal Haven and the islands in its vicinity, on which the topographical party of Assistant Dorr was about to commence work. The operations of Assistant Fairfield furnish the data needful for the finished survey of most of the islands at the entrance of Penobscot Bay. His party

passed to and fro in a small vessel hired for the purpose at Rockland. Field-work was continued until the 13th of October. The statistics are as follows:

Signals erected	32
Stations occupied	12
Points determined	29
Angles measured	108
Number of observations	1,538

Assistant Fairfield was aided by Mr. F. W. Perkins.

This party is now about to resume duty in the triangulation work of Section IV.

Topography of the Fox Islands.—In continuation of the work which was done last season on the north side of the Thoroughfare Passage through the Fox Islands in Penobscot Bay, Assistant F. W. Dorr took up the topography of Vinal Haven on the 1st of August. Two plane-tables were employed, one being kept in use by the aid, Mr. H. G. Ogden, during the entire working season. Points having been furnished by Assistant Fairfield, Mr. Dorr prosecuted the detailed survey of the northern and northeastern part of Vinal Haven, including also Widow's Island at the eastern entrance of the Thoroughfare, and Stimpson's, Colderwood's, and Babbidge Islands, which separate the passage into two channels called respectively the Main Thoroughfare and Little Thoroughfare. The sheet which represents these details was completed on the 14th of October in the field. As soon after as practicable, it was inked by Mr. Dorr and sent to the office. Mr. Joseph Hergesheimer served as aid in the field and in office-work.

Mr. Ogden, working from his camp on Leadbetter's Island, made the survey of the western side of Vinal Haven and of the numerous islands and exposed rocks in its vicinity. Most of the islands, like Vinal Haven itself, are immense granite rocks, scantily covered with a soil which sustains some trees and vegetation. "The most westerly limit of the sheet is Medric Rock, of about fifteen feet elevation, and surrounded by several ledges. Between it and the principal islands are many small islands and ledges, making these waters almost impassable for vessels."

In reference to the smaller and less frequently used passages through the Fox Islands, Mr. Ogden says: "What is called 'The Reach' is a narrow passage between Green's Island and Vinal Haven. This is used by small vessels bound from Carber's Harbor to Rockland and up the Penobscot, but it is narrow, and several ledges in it make it a dangerous passage for strangers. The same may be said generally of the channels between the islands. Old Harbor, at the west end of 'The Reach,' though small, affords a good shelter in all winds. Leadbetter's Narrows are much used, but there is a sunken ledge nearly in the middle. The most remarkable body of water is the 'Basin,' a bight in the western side of Vinal Haven. Of its two entrances, which are a mile apart, the southern one is a mere drain at high water. The northern entrance is passable for small vessels at high water; but the opening being scarcely twenty meters wide, the water runs as in a sluice, and it is only with great difficulty that boats can be pulled against the current."

The plane-table sheet of Mr. Ogden was completed on the 7th of November. It includes the sites of many granite quarries that are worked on Vinal Haven and in its vicinity.

Assistant Dorr furnished for the use of the hydrographic party tracings from his sheet of work, showing the shore-line of the Thoroughfare and its approaches. The statistics of topographical work are as follows:

Shore-line and outline of ledges, (miles)	150
Streams traced on islands, (miles)	31
Roads, (miles)	51½
Area of topography, (square miles)	48

The sheet returned by Mr. Ogden is so completely studded with islands, ledges, and outlying rocks that its area, as topography, of necessity includes the water-passages between the numerous obstacles.

Assistant Dorr passed the early part of the working season in Section IV, and Mr. Ogden in Section VIII. They are now making preparation for different sites of work on the Atlantic coast.

Hydrography of Penobscot Bay, Maine.—The hydrography of Penobscot Bay has been extended

by soundings made by the party of Sub-Assistant Charles Junken, between the 23d of July and the 20th of September. These connect with the work of last year and continue the hydrography eastward to Seal Island Rock. (See Sketch No. 1.) All the most dangerous rocks and ledges falling within the limits of the working-sheet of this season were developed by the soundings. A few yet remain, but less in importance, to be determined in character and position. Among those already on the hydrographic sheet are Foster's Ledge near Matinicus Island; Bantom Ledge and two others near Ragged Island; the South Breaker, off Matinicus Light; a ledge near the Inner and one near the Outer Black Ledge; Harbor Ledge, at the entrance to Matinicus Harbor; and a ledge near the north point of No Man's Land. Many others in the immediate vicinity of the islands at the southwest entrance to Penobscot Bay appear on the hydrographic sheet.

This work was done with the steamer *Endeavor*. Sub-Assistant Junken was aided by Messrs. L. B. Wright and G. W. Bissell. A summary is appended, showing the statistics of hydrography:

Miles run in sounding.....	627
Angles measured.....	6, 156
Number of soundings.....	8, 661

The remainder of the working season in this section was employed in service that will be mentioned under the next head.

Hydrography of Fox Island Thoroughfare, (Penobscot Bay.)—For this work the party of Sub-Assistant Junken was transferred from the entrance of the bay. The sounding of the thoroughfare was completed on the 7th of November, and includes the approaches from the east and west, and the vicinity of each of the numerous known rocks and ledges, as Dobbin Rock, which is exactly in the channel of the thoroughfare off Iron Point; a rock between the "Sugar Loaves" and the "Dumplings;" Stimpson's Ledge, and others near Channel Rock, Standpoint Ledge, and Babbidge's Island. The chart resulting from this survey has been plotted and is now in the office. The general statistics concerning it are as follows:

Miles run in sounding.....	352
Angles measured.....	4, 897
Number of soundings.....	21, 566

The two sheets turned in by Sub-Assistant Junken comprise an aggregate area of one hundred and six square miles. The previous work of the party will be alluded to under the head of Section V.

Topography of Tennant's Harbor and vicinity, Maine.—At the end of July, Assistant W. H. Dennis took up topographical work on the west side of the entrance to Penobscot Bay. The sheet first completed contains the survey of Seal Harbor, Tennant's Harbor, and Mosquito Harbor, all of which are used as harbors of refuge. The first two of the harbors named are of importance in other respects. Mr. Dennis represented, on this and on an adjoining plane-table sheet, all the ledges covered at high water that fell within the limits of his survey.

Field-work was continued until the 13th of November, at which time progress had been made on a sheet joining with the one completed earlier in the season. The second sheet contains the shore-line and a considerable portion of the detailed survey of the vicinity of South Thomaston.

Until the middle of September, Assistant Dennis was aided in field-work by Mr. F. H. Agnew. The following is a summary of the statistics:

Shore line surveyed, (miles).....	72
Roads, (miles).....	35
Area of topography, (square miles).....	21

Mr. Dennis has now resumed topographical work in Section V.

Topography of Medomak River, Maine.—The shore-line having been previously traced, Sub-Assistant Charles Hosmer commenced the detailed survey of the shores of the Medomak on the 28th of July and completed that work by the 12th of September. As usual, a margin varying in width from one-half to one mile is represented in detail. Mr. Hosmer continued in the field until the 2d

of November, prosecuting in the interval the topographical survey of the west side of George's River below Thomaston. The aggregate statistics of his work are as follows :

Shore line surveyed, (miles).....	34
Roads, (miles).....	70
Area of topography, (square miles).....	21½

Mr. O. H. Tittmann served as aid in this party.

After inking and depositing his plane-table sheets at the office, Sub-Assistant Hosmer made preparation to resume topographical duty, in which he had been previously engaged in Section V.

Hydrography of Muscongus Bay, Maine.—The work outstanding at the opening of the present season in Muscongus Bay has been completed by a party working under the direction of Sub-Assistant R. E. Halter, with the schooner Bailey and the steam-launch Sagadahoc. The space sounded out is comprised between Pemaquid Point and Allen's Island, and from Round Pond to a point near the mouth of Friendship River. Mr. Halter also revised several sheets of hydrography previously done, joining to the eastward and westward with his own work of this season. Soundings were commenced on the 24th of July, and were concluded on the 19th of October. In the progress of the work a ledge was developed at the entrance of Pemaquid New Harbor, which, though small, is resorted to in bad weather by coasters of the larger class as a place of refuge. The ledge being dangerous, the recommendation of Sub-Assistant Halter, that it should be marked by a buoy or spindle, was transmitted to the Light-House Board early in August.

Sub-Assistant W. W. Harding was attached to this party, but was transferred to Section III in September to conduct the hydrographic work which was under the charge of Sub-Assistant Fendall at the time of his decease. Mr. W. I. Vinal aided Mr. Halter in Muscongus Bay until the close of the season. The following is a summary of the statistics of work :

Miles run in sounding.....	642
Angles measured.....	5,578
Number of soundings.....	26,320

The hydrographic party erected forty-nine signals and recorded about fifteen hundred observations on the rise and fall of tides.

Early in the surveying year, Mr. Halter was engaged in Section IX. Arrangements for service during the winter being completed, he is about to take up hydrographic work on the coast of Georgia.

Triangulation of the Kennebec River, Maine.—On the 20th of July, Assistant S. C. McCorkle commenced the triangulation of the Kennebec, by occupying, on Merrymeeting Bay, stations that had been determined in conducting the general work along the coast of Maine in previous seasons. Along the shores of the Kennebec twenty-eight signals were erected between Merrymeeting Bay and Augusta. The work thus added is shown in a general way on Sketch No. 1.

Between Richmond and Gardiner, where the banks of the river are heavily wooded, it was found necessary to lessen the length of triangle sides, but in all other places the work was made conformable to requisites for the first order of river triangulation. Full provision has thus been made for the topographical survey between Bath and the head of navigation.

Mr. Frederick Stoeber served as temporary aid in the party of Assistant McCorkle. Field-work was closed on the 25th of September, with the following results in statistics :

Signals erected.....	28
Objects observed on.....	44
Angles measured.....	165
Number of observations.....	4,440

Earlier in the working season, Mr. McCorkle had been engaged in Section VII, and he was subsequently employed on the shores of Narraganset Bay.

Hydrography.—By the party of Sub-Assistant J. S. Bradford, working with the schooner Dana, such revision and supplementary soundings have been made as were found needful between Pemaquid Point and Casco Entrance. In the Sheepscot river some additional soundings required for the completion of the chart were made above the bridge at Wiscasset.

Damiscove Harbor, on the island of Damiscove, was sounded out. In Sagadahoc Bay the Long Island Narrows were sounded, as were also the passages by Salter Island and Stage Island. Additional soundings were made in the bay near the entrance of Sheepscot River. These include the vicinity of Sloop Ledge, on which Mr. Bradford found as little as six feet of water. He developed in this neighborhood the Little River Ledges, finding shoal spots of two, four, and seven feet, and one rock six feet in diameter, which is dry at low water.

In the vicinity of the Kennebec the positions were determined of Seal Rock, near Parker's Head; Lee's Island Rock; a shoal near Pettis Rocks, with twelve feet of water on it; and Ram Island Rock. Soundings were made, and the position was determined, of Lethgrow's Rock, with seven feet of water near Fiddler's Reach. Winnegance Creek was sounded by the boats of the Dana, and a ledge in four feet water was sounded in the Kennebec near Bath.

In the approaches to the Kennebec, Mr. Bradford examined near the Heron Islands the rock known as "Bold Dick," and made additional soundings around the Heron and Fox Islands. Jack-knife Ledge was found to have eight feet at mean low water, where six feet only had been reported. The passage was sounded between Salter's Island and the Whale's Back, and some additional lines of soundings were run in the neighborhood of Gilbert's Head.

The passage between Cape Small Point and Glover's Rock was sounded, as also that between Bald Head and Bald Head Ledge, including the ledge itself, as far as practicable. This ledge is bare at low tide, and the water breaks in the calmest weather. Lumbo's Ledge (Casco Bay) was examined, and no depth was found of less than seventeen feet at mean low water. Mr. Bradford found and developed a shoal in seven fathoms water northeast of Lumbo's Ledge.

Half-Way Rock, (Casco Bay).—Sub-Assistant Bradford sounded the vicinity of this rock from the water-line to a depth of ten fathoms. On the shoal north of Half-Way Rock he found a depth of eleven feet at mean low water, on a rock so small that it was struck several times with the lead before the depth could be determined.

Early in December, 1867, Sub-Assistant C. H. Boyd made a plane-table survey of Half-Way Rock, and in forwarding his sketch reported as follows: "The rock is unstratified, indurated slate, similar to that which forms the coast-line in the vicinity. Its highest point above the high-water line is thirteen feet, and is quite small."

In the course of the working season in this section, beginning in July and closing at the end of October, Sub-Assistant Bradford determined and plotted the positions of eighteen ledges and rocks. The general hydrographic statistics of the work are:

Angles measured.....	434
Number of soundings.....	8,583

Mr. G. C. Schaeffer, jr., served as aid in the hydrographic party. Sub-Assistant Bradford had been previously engaged in Section IV.

Topography of New Meadows River, Maine.—Assistant A. W. Longfellow took the field on the 6th of July, and continued at work with the plane-table until the 24th of October. The detailed survey made during that interval embraces the shores of Winnegance Bay and the lower shores of New Meadows River, or from Phippsburg Basin upward to the Three Islands, and westward to Simpson's Gurnet, through which the tide-waters connect with those of Harpswell Sound. Within the limits of the plane-table sheet are included the towns of Phippsburg, West Bath, Brunswick, and Harpswell, the last named being the north and east portion of Great Island, or Sebaskahegan. The topography is intricate and difficult, from the rocky, broken, and wooded character of the ground. Numerous heights were measured by vertical angles on the alidade, in tracing the contours, but, where practicable, the elevations were determined by direct measurement. One hundred and sixteen miles of contour-lines were traced, and seven miles of roads, within an area of seven square miles. Assistant Longfellow used the schooner Meredith in this service.

Special survey in Portland Harbor, Maine.—At the request of the city authorities of Portland, a minute survey has been made of the vicinity of Munjoy Hill. Assistant J. A. Sullivan organized a party for this work, and commenced operations on the 26th of June. After making the requisite triangulations, series of levels were taken to establish accurate bench-marks upon the ground which was to be surveyed, and the marks, when set, were referred to the permanent tidal bench-

mark made in a previous year in the harbor. The survey of Munjoy Hill with the plane-table was commenced by Assistant H. L. Whiting, who delineated most of the shore-line, and determined many of the more prominent objects. Mr. A. Lindenkohl continued and completed the detailed survey of the hill. Along the shore-line, plane-table stations were made at intervals of a hundred and fifty feet, and stakes were ranged from them upon the adjacent flats to the opposite side of the channel, for hydrographic purposes. Soundings were taken upon the lines thus traced out, and also upon lines at equal intervals at right angles to them. The hill was surveyed so as to give means for a complete delineation of the irregularities of the surface. All the field expenses incurred were, at the instance of General Francis Fessenden, defrayed by the city, the authorities having acted upon suggestions made in his capacity as one of the aldermen, by which the survey was inaugurated.

The hydrography adjacent to Munjoy Hill was executed in the most thorough manner by Sub-Assistant Horace Anderson. Mr. J. N. McClintock aided in the field-work. The statistics are as follows:

Shore-line traced, (miles)	3
Hill curves, contour, (miles)	33
Streets, (miles)	7½
Angles for sounding	780
Number of soundings	10,443

Assistant Sullivan founded the part of the survey here alluded to on sixteen points, determined by his triangulation at the outset. The topographical survey was brought to a close on the 1st of October, but, the city authorities having made formal provision for extending the limits of the work next year, Mr. Sullivan remained in service until the 24th of October. Thirty additional points were determined by over two thousand observations with the theodolite, so that the plane-table work of the additional area can be taken up in the spring of next year without delay. The transfer of data from the field-sheets, and the drawing of a comprehensive map for the city on a scale of 1:2500, are now in progress.

In November, Assistant Sullivan engaged in triangulation work in Section II. Sub-Assistant Anderson and Mr. McClintock at the same time took up duty in Section IX.

On the occasion of an official visit, I examined at Portland the results of the field-work then in progress, and was strongly impressed by its thoroughness. For purposes of practical utility, no means short of the geodetic process would present the details of surface with the requisite accuracy. At the invitation of the city authorities, the hydrographic inspector visited the harbor, and conferred personally in regard to the extension of the survey in the coming season.

Triangulation of Saco Bay, Maine.—Between Richmond Island and Wells Village, a triangulation has been made by Sub-Assistant Charles Ferguson. This is to serve as a basis for the plane-table survey, which will include about twenty-four miles of the sea-coast of Maine. The work was taken up on the 15th of July and concluded in the middle of October. The difficulties, which presented at an early period of the survey in conducting a triangulation for topographical purposes, are but slightly lessened, much timber that hinders the view still remaining in the vicinity of Biddeford and Saco. Between Wells and Saco a stretch of about twelve miles is thus covered, without having any considerable elevations near the coast-line for proper positions in the triangulation. Observing from scaffolds and other expedients were in such cases employed by Mr. Ferguson. The results of his work furnish points for two large-sized plane-table sheets. A summary of the statistics of triangulation is appended:

Stations occupied	12
Number of observations	2,098
Area of triangulation, (square miles)	120

In November, special application having been made for the services of a member of the Coast Survey for practical developments of ground in Arkansas, Sub-Assistant Ferguson was authorized to make the surveys needed in advance.

Triangulation, topography, and hydrography of Cape Cod Peninsula, Massachusetts.—The outstanding work on the peninsula of Cape Cod has been completed by the assignment in the summer of

several parties to work jointly. Of these, one conducted by Sub-Assistant C. H. Boyd took the field on the 1st of August, and continued until the 10th of November. Between those dates Mr. Boyd determined by triangulation the points required for the topographical parties of Assistant Adams and Assistant West, and for the plane-table work which was subsequently done, under his own direction, by Sub-Assistant H. W. Bache. The triangulation included the towns of Dennis, Brewster, Orleans, Harwich, and Chatham. The position of the new light-house on Billingsgate Shoal was also determined. In prosecuting the work, Mr. Boyd recognized and marked anew five of the stations occupied some years ago as points of reference for the coast hydrography. The general statistics of the triangulation are as follows:

Stations occupied	19
Points determined.....	30
Angles measured	123
Number of observations	1,854

Points sufficient for plane-table work having been determined by the 1st of September, Sub-Assistant Bache was placed in charge of a detached party to prosecute the survey in the vicinity of Chatham. The limits of his topographical sheet are Monomoy and Pleasant Bay. At the place last named, it joins with a sheet of Sub-Assistant Boyd, and is thus in connection with work done by the other two parties on the peninsula. The two sheets returned by Messrs. Boyd and Bache comprise the following, in statistics:

Shore line, (miles)	30
Roads, (miles).....	17
Area of topography, (square miles).....	12

The plane-table sheet of Sub-Assistant Boyd was executed in October.

Early in September, Mr. Boyd took up the hydrography of Pleasant Bay, including also, in the progress of the work, Chatham Harbor and Bar. A tide-gauge was established by bolting a graduated staff to a large boulder on the beach, and a daily record of its readings was kept for a month. In October two other gauges were put in operation, one near Chatham Bar and the other in the most distant part of the bay. The survey of Chatham Bar, and that of the vicinity of the harbor, illustrate the constant degradation, change of outline, and shift of sand, to which this part of the peninsula of Cape Cod is subject. A synopsis of the statistics of work is appended:

Miles run in sounding.....	86
Sextant angles.....	1,278
Casts of the lead.....	8,616

Sub-Assistant Boyd was aided in field operations by Mr. J. G. Spaulding.

Mr. Boyd is about to resume in Section VIII a survey in which he was engaged during the early part of the present surveying year.

Assistant Hull Adams completed, in August, the topography of four and a half miles of the south shore of Cape Cod Bay. The detailed survey was carried inland as far as the old road between Orleans and Brewster, and was made to include also the course of the railroad in that vicinity. To the eastward and westward the plane-table sheet here referred to joins with work completed by other parties.

On the eastern side of Cape Cod Peninsula, Assistant Adams and his aid, Mr. H. L. Marindin, joined with previous work at Nausett Entrance, and extended the topography southward along the outer coast as far as the opening into Pleasant Bay. Inland the survey embraces the shores of that bay and its branches, the limit of topography being the road that passes from Chatham to Orleans. The islands in the bay, the coves, and other features of natural detail, are represented on the plane-table sheet.

On the north side of the peninsula, or shore of Cape Cod Bay, the surface exhibits a series of conical and rounded elevations with corresponding depressions. These are formed by sand-drift, and in some instances rise to more than a hundred feet in height. The same features mark the outer coast of the peninsula; but these, by the action of the tide, are subject to rapid changes by

degradation. The aggregate of work in the two localities is expressed in the following summary of statistics:

Shore line of main and islands, (miles)	22
Outline of marsh, ponds, (miles).....	31
Roads, (miles).....	61
Area of topography, (square miles).....	29½

The work here alluded to was concluded at the end of October. It joins at its southern limit with topography done by Sub-Assistant Boyd.

Assistant P. C. F. West took up the topography of the south shore of Cape Cod Bay at Brewster early in August, joining in that vicinity with the plane-table work by Assistant Adams. Going westward, the small harbors of Sursnit and Nobscusset were surveyed, and the general features of the shore of the bay to a point beyond North Dennis, where Mr. West joined with work done in a previous season. Although several ships of large size have been built at Sursuit, that harbor, and the one adjoining, are used now mostly for laying up fishing-vessels during winter. The points needful for the topographical surveys done this season by Assistant West and Assistant Adams were furnished by the triangulation of Sub-Assistant Boyd. Mr. West makes the following return in statistics:

Shore line, (miles).....	8
Creeks and marsh line, (miles).....	30
Roads, (miles).....	48
Area of topography, (square miles).....	12

This work completes the detailed survey of the shores of the Cape Cod Peninsula. On the occasion of two visits in the course of the season, I have been strongly impressed with the accuracy of the topographical details.

Resurvey of Monomoy Point, Massachusetts.—Assistant West, after completing his plane-table work near Brewster, proceeded early in November to trace the outline of Monomoy Point, for comparison with the survey previously made. The result shows that great changes have taken place, as might be expected from the character of the formation. The character of these changes is important, in view of the fact that as many as four hundred sail of vessels have been counted in a single view from the point.

Assistant West is now preparing to enter upon topographical duty in Section V.

Hydrography near Monomoy Point, Massachusetts.—At the request of Commodore George S. Blake, U. S. N., light-house inspector of the second district, Sub-Assistant F. F. Nes was detailed in August to aid in making soundings, with a view to develop the general character of the changes that have occurred in depth in that vicinity.

About eleven hundred casts of the lead made on the Shovel Shoal and on the broken parts of Pollock Rip were deemed sufficient by the inspector for the purpose in view. On the completion of this service, Mr. Nes joined the party of Assistant Gerdes in New York Harbor. His previous duty afloat will be mentioned under the head of Section IX.

Hen and Chickens light-ship.—After completing the hydrographic survey of Narraganset Bay, to be noticed presently, Assistant F. P. Webber reached Buzzard's Bay on the 16th of October, and determined the position at that time of the light-ship on the Hen and Chickens. The notes necessary for marking the position on sailing-charts are now on file in the office.

Triangulation of Wickford Bay, Rhode Island.—The additional points found necessary to the further advance of the detailed survey of the shores of Narraganset Bay were determined by Assistant S. C. McCorkle, in September and October. Stations on Prudence Island and Conanicut Island were connected by triangulation with others on the shores of Wickford Bay. Assistant Webber, in charge of the hydrography, coöperated with Mr. McCorkle in setting the requisite signals. The statistics are as follows:

Signals erected.....	7
Stations occupied	6
Angles measured.....	120
Number of observations.....	780

Mr. F. Stoever aided in making the triangulation.

Assistant McCorkle has since resumed field duty in Section VII.

Topography of Narraganset Bay, Rhode Island.—The detailed topographical survey has been prosecuted by Assistant A. M. Harrison in the vicinity of Wickford Harbor, the sheet projected for that part of the shore of Narraganset Bay, including also Warwick Neck, Greenwich Bay, Brush Neck, and the lower parts of Apponaug and Potowamut Rivers. This sheet was completed early in October. Work was then taken up on a plane-table sheet to include the survey westward of Greenwich Bay. Mr. Harrison had well advanced toward completion in this vicinity late in November, when he was taken seriously ill. He had previously added some details to the plane-table survey of the neighborhood of Warren. Sub-Assistant H. M. DeWees aided in the field and office work, after joining the party early in August. The plane-table statistics are as follows:

Shore line surveyed, (miles).....	39
Creeks, &c., (miles)	19
Roads, (miles)	58
Area in topography, (square miles)	19

Hydrography of Narraganset Bay, Rhode Island.—The hydrography of this important bay has been completed. Assistant F. P. Webber resumed work on the 18th of July, setting up as soon as practicable tide-gauges and erecting the signals needful. The western part of the bay between the north end of Canonicut Island and the north end of Hope Island was then sounded. In August work was taken up and prosecuted to completion between Quonset Point and Dutch Island. In the latter part of the season terminating on the 12th of October, Mr. Webber made soundings between the south end of Dutch Island and the entrance of the bay, and there joined with the coast hydrography which had been completed in a former year. The work was done altogether with boats belonging to the schooner Joseph Henry, the condition of the vessel being such as to call for general repairs, which were deferred until the close of the season in this section. The vessel was laid up at Wickford in October.

Assistant Webber was efficiently aided by Acting Ensign Frederick Hsley, U. S. N., and by Messrs. F. D. Granger, A. P. Barnard, and W. T. Angell. The statistics of work are as follows:

Miles run in sounding	250
Angles measured	2,568
Number of soundings.....	20,516

After making the determination in Buzzard's Bay, previously referred to, Assistant Webber proceeded to Section VIII to resume hydrographic duty.

Tidal observations.—It became necessary, in 1867, to arrange for a new permanent tidal station on the coast of Maine, owing to the extension of the survey to the eastward, and as Owl's Head, in Penobscot Entrance, seemed so be a suitable site, a self-registering gauge was put up there by Mr. A. C. Mitchell. In the charge of Mr. G. D. Wooster, observations were recorded from July 17 until December 8, 1867, when they were discontinued in consequence of severe frosts and storms. The series has since been resumed at a more favorable station, at North Harbor, on one of the Fox Islands, in Penobscot Bay.

The self-registering tide-gauge at the Charlestown navy yard has performed well, but during the severe weather of last winter it frequently stopped, and some of the tides were thus lost from the record. Mr. H. Howland, the observer, records also the meteorological observations.

In the office some new devices have been suggested, and will be tried, with a view to the continuance of tidal observations at exposed places during winter.

The data derived from the permanent tidal stations are of direct avail in the location of forts, light-houses, or other public works, and in the means adopted for improving harbors, for general investigations relating to the laws of the tides, and for connecting and systematizing the results found by hydrographic parties at numerous stations more or less distant from the permanent stations.

SECTION II.

ATLANTIC COAST OF CONNECTICUT, NEW YORK, AND NEW JERSEY, INCLUDING PENNSYLVANIA AND DELAWARE, AS FAR SOUTH AS CAPE HENLOPEN.—
(SKETCHES NOS. 6 AND 7.)

Primary stations.—An important duty connected with the field-work of the Coast Survey is the preservation of the stations of the primary triangulation. All are carefully marked when they are occupied, but the changes consequent upon the rapid growth of our sea-board cities make it a matter of no little difficulty to maintain undisturbed the marks set in their vicinity. In the course of the present season, Assistant John Farley visited the primary stations Round Hill and Bald Hill, in Connecticut; Hempstead Hill and West Base, on Long Island; Buttermilk Hill, near Tarrytown, New York; Weasel Mountain, Mount Rose, Mount Holly, and Stony Hill, in New Jersey; Yard Station and Willow Grove, in Pennsylvania; and Meeting-House Station, in the State of Delaware. Principio Station, near the head of Chesapeake Bay, has been visited and secured by Assistant Richard D. Cutts.

The elaborate report made by Assistant Farley at the end of the season is accompanied by descriptions and drawings of the sites as they now are, and by notes showing what changes have occurred in each locality since the stations were occupied. Where necessary, Mr. Farley made additional marks and measurements, and furnished notes for reference.

Special survey at Hell Gate.—In July and August, at the request of the engineer officer in charge, Assistant F. H. Gerdes made special observations in the vicinity of Hell Gate for the purpose of procuring such data as would be needed for the engineering operations then contemplated. Careful levelings were made of the shore of East River in the neighborhood of Hell Gate, the tides were observed, and the velocity of the current was determined at a number of stations. Transcripts of all the records of observations were furnished to the engineer officers.

At three of the tidal stations occupied by Mr. Gerdes, observations were recorded every ten minutes, day and night, for about twenty days, and similar notes were taken at three other gauges for four days. The tidal elevations were referred to permanent bench-marks.

Soundings in New York Harbor.—In September, Assistant Gerdes resurveyed, for the use of the pilot commissioners, a portion of the harbor between New York City and Staten Island, the object being to determine the character of reported changes in the main channel. Sub-Assistant F. F. Nes aided in this service, and plotted the chart which resulted from the soundings.

Mr. Gerdes, in the preceding June, examined, with reference to changes that have occurred in the channel of the Hudson, all the auxiliary lights between the cities of Hudson and Albany. His elaborate report on the subject was referred for the information of the Light-House Board.

Survey at Rondout, Hudson River, New York.—This special survey was undertaken with a view to the development of facilities at the mouth of Rondout Creek for water transportation between Rondout and New York City. Assistant Gerdes commenced the field-work in September, and prosecuted the topography and hydrography steadily until the 17th of November, when the survey was completed. The resulting maps were then taken in hand, and will occupy the party until after the close of the year. Mr. Gerdes was aided by Sub-Assistant Nes after the middle of September. The detailed survey at Rondout embraced such portions of the topography as would enter of necessity into the consideration of plans for improving the navigation of the creek. A summary of the statistics of work is here given, as stated in the report from the field:

Shore-line surveyed, (miles).....	15½
Roads, (miles)	18
Area of topography, (square miles).....	4
Miles run in sounding	61
Angles measured	1, 515
Number of soundings	9, 509

These soundings were made on over three hundred different lines, the courses and directions of which were all carefully determined from shore stations.

During the year 1868, an aggregate of about three million tonnage crossed the bar in passing into Hudson River from Rondout Harbor.

Triangulation, coast of New Jersey.—The connection of the New Jersey coast triangulation, from the line Chapel Hill–Mount Mitchell, in the vicinity of Sandy Hook, with the main series crossing New York Bay, has been very nearly completed within the past season, and would have been entirely finished but for the serious illness of Assistant W. S. Edwards, who had the work in charge. In the month of October of last year, observations were completed at five stations. Operations were then suspended for the season, but were resumed in June of the present year. In the two months named 8 stations were occupied, and 55 angles were determined by 1,159 observations. In the progress of the work the new beacons in the lower bay were determined and a junction was effected with the main series of triangles. A few more observations are still required at one of the stations, a delay due to the difficulty of seeing through the thick atmosphere which generally hangs over the city of New York. The observations needful could not be obtained before Mr. Edwards became too unwell to continue in the field.

Topography near Barnegat Bay, New Jersey.—The topography of the coast of New Jersey was resumed by Assistant C. M. Bache at the end of July in the vicinity of Squan River. After joining properly with a previous sheet of work, the plane-table survey was extended southward along the sea-coast to the head of Barnegat Bay. In its progress several miles in length of the upper part of the bay were included, and also parts of Beaver Dam Creek and Metiticonk River that flow into the bay.

Assistant Bache was aided in the field by Mr. Eugene Ellicott. This party had passed the first part of the working year in Section V. The following are the statistics of the work done on the coast of New Jersey:

Shore-line of sea, river, &c., (miles).....	66
Roads, (miles).....	51
Area of topography, (square miles)	16

Field-work was continued until the 3d of November. Mr. Bache is now engaged in inking his topographical sheets.

Tidal observations.—The series of tidal observations in New York Harbor has been continued by Mr. R. T. Bassett with the self-registering gauge on Governor's Island, and with the box-gauge at the dock of the Hamilton-avenue ferry in Brooklyn. These observations, by the continuity of the series, have furnished data for many important and costly works, both public and private, in and around the harbor and its connected waters. No important improvement likely to be affected by the tides has been undertaken in recent years without application to the Coast Survey Office. The observations made in July and August at several stations around Hell Gate by Assistant F. H. Gerdes were for the purpose of furnishing data needful in the proposed improvement of that channel.

In November and December, 1867, Mr. A. C. Mitchell established bench-marks at several stations along the coast of New Jersey as points for referring the rise and fall of tide to the mean level of the sea.

SECTION III.

COAST OF DELAWARE AND MARYLAND, AND OF VIRGINIA AS FAR SOUTH AS CAPE HENRY.—(SKETCH No. 8.)

Primary triangulation.—In order to avoid natural difficulties presented by the coast features in the extension of the primary triangulation southward of Chesapeake Bay, a series of main triangles has been projected to rest upon the first range of hills back from and parallel to the coast-line, with a view to connect as early as possible with the base-lines measured on the ocean-beach in North Carolina and South Carolina. The expediency of the proposed operation was determined by a general reconnaissance made in November and December of last year by Assistant C. O. Boutelle.

Primary stations near Washington City are already directly connected with the Kent Island

base, and with the great chain of primary triangles between Chesapeake Bay and the northeastern boundary of the United States at the Bay of Fundy.

The general aspect of the country around Washington is that of a high table-land, gradually increasing in elevation as it recedes from tide-water. In the progress of time, valleys and river-courses have been formed in this table-land by erosion, but no hills, in the usual meaning of the term, exist. The reconnaissance developed that the crests or summits of the table-land on each side of the Potomac River were near Spencerville, in Maryland, and near Vienna, in Virginia, and that by the use of artificial elevations for the theodolite a single quadrilateral of good shape would carry the triangulation from two of the primary stations already determined to a line commanding the Blue Ridge from Maryland Heights to Manassas.

After his return from Section V, in June last, Mr. Boutelle selected sites for stations, in accordance with his previous general reconnaissance, to connect with the chain of great triangles already completed upon the line Hill-Webb. As soon as practicable signals and observing tripods were erected for occupying the two stations just named. Sugar Loaf Mountain, near the mouth of Monocacy and twenty-eight miles northwest of Washington, is visible from that city, and is so prominent and commanding from every point of the horizon that it was necessarily taken as one of the objects to connect upon. A very careful reconnaissance fixed the crest of the table-land and consequent site of the station directly connecting Sugar Loaf with the base Hill-Webb upon the farm of Mr. Asa R. Stabler, near Spencerville. The point selected is 570 feet above the sea. As it fell in the midst of a highly cultivated country, Assistant Boutelle put up an observing tripod fifty feet high, to look over the surrounding shrubbery and to avoid the cutting of fruit-trees. An avenue for sight required, however, to be opened in the direction to Webb Station.

The fourth point of the quadrilateral was found at Peach Grove on the Loudoun and Alexandria Turnpike, thirteen miles from Washington. A line from Sugar Loaf to this point commands the Blue Ridge from Harper's Ferry to below Front Royal. Peach Grove Station is 520 feet above sea.

At Hill Station Mr. Boutelle found undisturbed the mark that had been placed in 1850, when the station was occupied by Professor Bache. It is 279 feet above sea, but required the erection of a tripod fifty-one feet high in order to bring Sugar Loaf Mountain into view over the intervening ridges in Montgomery County, Maryland.

Mr. Boutelle erected signals of the usual form at Webb, Hill, Sugar Loaf Mountain, Peach Grove, Soper, and Causten Stations, (Sketch No. 8;) and in September began the measurement of angles at Webb Station, aided by Mr. F. H. Agnew. The thirty-inch theodolite was used. Hill Station was occupied between the 9th of October and the 17th of November. At both stations the magnetic declination and intensity were observed, and aggregates of 879 observations for horizontal angles and 254 observations for vertical angles were recorded.

The office discussion of the observations made at Hill Station with the large theodolite, elevated over fifty feet, will have special interest, connected with the progress of similar work over the wooded region of the southern coast. On closing the observations at that station, Assistant Boutelle transferred his party to Seaton Station, in Washington, where he is now engaged.

Topography and hydrography of the Chesapeake Estuaries.—A party in charge of Sub-Assistant J. W. Donn has been in active service during the entire year in mapping and sounding the principal estuaries of the Chesapeake. Plane-table work was continued through the winter on Yeocomico River at such intervals of weather as admitted of field duty. In March the party was provided for hydrographic service, and by the close of the first week in July the surveys were complete of the Yeocomico and Coan Rivers, Virginia; the St. George's and Wicomico Rivers, Maryland; Currioman and Nomini Bays, Virginia, with Mattox and Nomini Creeks, and the head of Lower Machodoc River. Within the same period the topography was completed of Britton's Bay and St. Clement's Bay, and the shores of the Potomac from Piney Point to Cob Point, on the Maryland side, and from Mattox Creek to Lower Machodoc River, on the Virginia side. Additions were made to the survey of the river between Ragged Point and Smith's Point. After some needful repairs on the schooner Bowditch, the party resumed work early in August on the branches of Mobjack Bay. The shores were surveyed and the channels were sounded of the East, North, Ware, and Severn Rivers.

This service occupied the party until the close of October. The following are aggregates of the statistics of plane-table work and hydrography:

Shore-line surveyed, (miles).....	315
Creeks, (miles).....	60
Area of topography, (square miles).....	36
Miles run in sounding.....	662
Angles measured.....	1,869
Number of soundings.....	35,450

Mr. R. B. Palfrey served as aid during part of the present season. Sub-Assistant Donn is still engaged in the joint work of topography and hydrography. Before closing this section mention will be made of a development in Rappahannock River by the same party.

On the eastern side of the Chesapeake a number of the estuaries, passed by when the general hydrography of the bay was executed, have been sounded out by a party in the schooner Hassler. Previous to his death, which occurred at Norfolk in September, Sub-Assistant Clarence Fendall, in conducting the operations of the party, had completed work in Hunger Creek, and had sounded the Naswaddox, the Nandua, the Craddock, and the Occohannock, having commenced field operations in April. In July he transferred his party to the western side of the bay, and was about to resume hydrographic duty in the branches of Mobjack Bay, when seized with the illness of which he died. The party was continued in service under the charge of the aid, Mr. Arthur F. Pearl, and during September and October soundings were completed in Back River and in Poquosin River. At present and during the coming winter the operations will be conducted by Sub-Assistant W. W. Harding. Mr. Pearl makes the following return in statistics for the entire working season:

Miles run in sounding.....	505
Angles measured.....	3,378
Number of soundings.....	50,287

Both parties, while working in the Chesapeake, observed the tides at permanent stations, and also at temporary stations, in each of the several places in which soundings were made.

Bowler's Rock and Corner Rock, Rappahannock River, Virginia.—The character of these two shoal places in the Rappahannock River, with reference to light-house purposes, was carefully developed in December, 1867, by Sub-Assistant Donn. A sheet on a large scale, containing soundings, tidal notes, &c., was turned in at the office in January, together with sketches showing the horizontal contours and profiles of several longitudinal sections of both of the rocks. In connection with soundings, the tides were observed and recorded for fifteen days. Respecting the first-named impediment in the navigation of the river, Mr. Donn reports:

"*Bowler's Rock* is simply a bed of dark-blue, tough mud, mixed with oyster-shells and overlaid by loose shells and growing oysters. The upper crust of this irregular ledge, irregular because crossed at nearly right angles to the axis of the tidal currents by narrow, deep channels, is compact and hard; but, with little exertion, an iron-pointed pole was passed through the crust of twelve inches thickness into the mud below, and down to a depth of ten feet from the hard surface. *Corner Rock* is composed of sand and broken shells, and covered with growing oyster beds. No force at hand would suffice to push the pole to a greater depth than eighteen inches. On this shoal the least depth at mean low water was found to be five and a half feet."

Hydrographic examination in Elizabeth River, Virginia.—On the 27th of August a careful survey was made by Acting Master Platt with his party in the surveying steamer Bibb, of the vicinity of the wreck of the iron-clad rebel steamer Merrimac. This was done in compliance with a request from Commodore Kelty, commandant of the United States navy yard at Norfolk. The wreck encroaches on the channel of the river, and parts of it are dangerous to passing vessels. Acting Master Platt furnished to the commandant a chart, showing distinctly what portions of the wreck should be removed to make the navigation of the channel safe for vessels passing to and from Norfolk. In the next section, and under Section VI, mention will be made of the general service of this party.

Tidal observations.—Mr. E. F. Krebs has continued in charge of the self-registering tide-gauge at Old Point Comfort, Virginia. This series is now very satisfactorily maintained, and, being one of the longest we have, it will soon be sufficiently extended to warrant discussion for general purposes.

SECTION IV.

COAST OF NORTH CAROLINA AS FAR SOUTH AS CAPE FEAR.—(SKETCH No. 14.)

Triangulation south of Cape Henry, Virginia.—In my report for 1867, a statement in detail was presented of the progress made by the party charged with the final connection of the primary triangulation of Chesapeake Bay with the main series, stretching to the northward from the base-line on Bodie's Island, in North Carolina. Since that date the operations of the party of Assistant Richard D. Cutts have been necessarily confined to a reconnaissance for continuing the direct measurement of the coast to the southward, and for the purpose of ascertaining the lines upon which the connection could be made and verified.

Early in November, Mr. F. W. Perkins, the aid in the party, under the direction of Assistant Cutts, proceeded to Norfolk, and thence to the outer coast; and, after examining the stations of the previous season, laid off on the ocean-beach, and to the southward of the terminus of the last line measured, a base three miles and three-quarters in length, and so arranged as to escape, as far as it was possible to do so, the sand knolls on the one side, and on the other the wrecks and the interval between the ordinary high and low water marks. Starting from this line, a scheme of triangulation, composed principally of quadrilaterals, was planned to extend over the old tertiary work, and to terminate down the coast on a comparatively long line common to both series, and to include an intermediate check. The signals of the two points nearest to the base were erected; duplicate descriptions of the stations were made; and a report giving the details of the reconnaissance, the extent of the cutting that will be necessary, and the special outfit required by the character of the coast, for the execution of the scheme. This preliminary service was completed by the 1st of December. The base will be measured and the triangulation extended from it in the course of the coming season.

Hydrography of the coast of Virginia and North Carolina.—The off-shore soundings south of Cape Henry were taken up at the limit of previous work, on the 22d of July, by Acting Master Robert Platt, U. S. N., assistant Coast Survey, with a party in the steamer Bibb. From False Cape the soundings were extended southward to "Kill Devil Hill," on the coast of North Carolina, and seaward about fifteen miles. Within that space 7,965 soundings were made on lines in which positions were determined by 1,738 angles. The area sounded being unprotected from all winds to the eastward of north or south, the hydrography of this vicinity proved to be very difficult. Boats from the steamer could land, for the purpose of putting up signals as ranges in sounding, only by passing through a heavy rolling surf. They were frequently filled with water, and in other instances all hands were thrown into the surf. To these unusual hazards were superadded the impossibility of continuing operations during easterly winds by reason of the heavy swell thus occasioned, and the necessity in many cases of making for a harbor during long-continued squalls. The hydrography immediately below Cape Henry having shown the existence of shoal spots or uneven bottom, Acting Master Platt adopted every means for securing accuracy, with a view of developing the exact nature of the bottom within the limits of the work of this year. In the vicinity of False Cape, where the bottom appeared to be somewhat uneven, the soundings were made numerous, but no spots were found so shoal as to obstruct the navigation of coasting vessels. Immediately off the False Cape, shoal spots, with only fifteen or sixteen feet water, occur as far out as three miles or more from the beach.

In October the steamer Bibb sailed from Hampton Roads for the purpose of sounding on the Wimble Shoals, but in a heavy gale the vessel was somewhat damaged, and one of the boats was lost before getting into Beaufort, North Carolina. A strong easterly gale, encountered soon after coming out, deferred the intended survey.

The Bibb has since refitted at Norfolk, and is now in service near the Florida Reef.

Triangulation of Pamlico Sound, North Carolina.—Assistant G. A. Fairfield, having completed the triangulation of the Neuse, resumed work at the entrance of that river in the middle of January. After restoring one of the main signals that had been cut down and carried away since the work closed in the previous season, the triangulation was extended northward along the western shore of Pamlico Sound. Bay River is included in the scheme of triangles measured this

year, and stations were selected to extend the triangulation to the mouth of Pamlico River. The work done is in complete connection with two of the primary stations in the sound, and with the completed triangulation of the Neuse River.

Assistant Fairfield was effectively aided by Mr. F. W. Perkins. The points needed by Assistant Dorr, for the topography of Turnagain Bay, and by Sub-Assistant Bradford, in the hydrography, were furnished by this party.

Field-work was closed at the end of April. The schooner Dana was then dispatched by Assistant Fairfield, for Portland, Maine. Under the head of Section I, mention has been made of the work subsequently done by the party of Mr. Fairfield. The statistics of the triangulation in Pamlico Sound are as follows:

Signals erected	17
Points determined	19
Stations occupied	16
Angles measured	79
Number of observations	1,750

Field-work is about to be resumed by the parties in Pamlico Sound.

Topography of Neuse River, North Carolina.—This work has been completed. Assistant F. W. Dorr took up the two final sheets toward the end of January, having previously organized a party for service in the steamer Hetzel. One of the sheets shows the plane-table features of the north bank from Smith's Point downward to the entrance of the river into Pamlico Sound; the other sheet contains the detailed survey of the south side below Cedar Point. All the affluents and estuaries of the lower part of the river are represented, the principal being South River, Broad Creek, and Turnagain Bay.

Sub-Assistant H. W. Bache was attached to this party. After closing work the Hetzel was returned and laid up at Newbern. The following synopsis shows the statistics of work:

Shore line of river and creeks, (miles)	160
Shore of streams, (miles)	60
Roads, (miles)	53
Area of plane-table sheets, (square miles)	119

The survey was completed on the 4th of May.

Assistant Dorr passed the working season at the North in Section I. Sub-Assistant Bache was attached to another party in the same quarter of the coast.

Hydrography of the Neuse River, North Carolina.—This work has been completed by soundings made between the 1st of December, 1867, and the end of May, of the present year, by Sub-Assistant J. S. Bradford, with a party in the schooner Arago. The hydrography was resumed at Wilkinson's Point, and terminated at the mouth of the river at a point about forty-two miles below Newbern.

Unfavorable weather prevented the extension of the soundings from the river entrance toward Hatteras Inlet. In general the months most suitable, in respect of calm weather, for hydrographic operations in Pamlico Sound, are June and July, when the heat and liability to sickness are unfortunately the greatest.

Messrs. F. D. Granger and G. C. Schaeffer, jr., aided efficiently in the hydrographic survey, the first-named taking the active charge of the party during an extended period of illness which disabled Sub-Assistant Bradford. Special mention is also made in the field report of the earnest and effective coöperation of Acting Master James H. Porter, who had charge of the schooner Arago, and of the essential service rendered by Mr. Albert Bayles, the engineer of the steam-launch used in the hydrography.

The statistics of the work done are as follows:

Miles run in sounding	549
Angles determined	2,055
Number of soundings	73,755

In July Sub-Assistant Bradford took up hydrographic duty, which has been mentioned under the head of Section I.

SECTION V.

COAST OF SOUTH CAROLINA AND GEORGIA AS FAR SOUTH AS ST. MARY'S RIVER.—(SKETCH NO. 15.)

Primary triangulation near Port Royal, South Carolina.—The primary triangulation of the coast of South Carolina was resumed in February last by Assistant C. O. Boutelle. At the outbreak of the rebellion the work rested at stations on the north side of Port Royal Sound. Other stations in connection with them were selected by Mr. Boutelle, on Hilton Head Island, and on other Sea Islands intervening between it and the Savannah River, making the primary triangulation complete between Charleston and the boundary of Georgia. Mr. Boutelle reports that the general level of the country covered by his work does not vary more than twelve feet. Hence artificial elevations are requisite to overcome natural curvature, and to carry the line of sight at its middle point above the disturbed stratum of air, near the surface of the ground. For observing on signals ten miles distant or more, Mr. Boutelle has used his theodolite on structures having forty-five feet elevation. Much difficulty, nevertheless, has to be overcome in clearing the lines of sight, the stations not being generally intervisible because of intervening trees. The secondary triangulation having passed over the same ground, the process for establishing a primary station is to select one approximately and connect it with the secondary work. Means being thus afforded for computing the direction and distance to a previously occupied primary station, the direction is carefully laid off and a point is found in the line. Here a portable transit-instrument is set up, and the line is traced throughout its entire length, or until the signal at the approximate primary station becomes visible. If no insuperable obstacle is encountered, as a house or other permanent structure, the line is adopted and opened by cutting away all overhanging trees for a width of ten feet on each side of the transit-line.

The subsequent field service of Assistant Boutelle has been mentioned under the head of Section III. He was aided on the coast of South Carolina by Sub-Assistant Charles Ferguson and Mr. J. N. McClintock.

Topography of Beaufort River and Chowan River, South Carolina.—The detailed survey needed to complete the field-work below Beaufort, South Carolina, was taken up on the 30th of January by Sub-Assistant Charles Hosmer. Assistant Whiting having made a special reconnaissance of this quarter in the previous season, the work done was conducted under his supervision. Mr. Hosmer filled in all the details of Parry Island, and mapped the western side of St. Helena Island along the Chowan River. His sheet represents also the features of the neck of land between Beaufort River and Battery Creek, and those of Cane Island, Cat Island, Gibbs's, Distant, and part of Ladies' Island. Nearly the entire course of Jericho Creek was included in the plane-table work of this season.

After the middle of April, Mr. J. N. McClintock aided in field-work, having been detached from the party of Assistant Boutelle. An accident to the steam-launch Ossabaw, which was used by the party of Sub-Assistant Hosmer, necessitated the close of work early in May. The following are the statistics:

Shore-line surveyed, (miles).....	125
Roads, (miles).....	45
Area of topography, (square miles)	21½

While the plane-table work was in progress near Jericho Creek, over two thousand casts of the lead were made. The characteristic soundings derived from them appear on the sheet turned in by Mr. Hosmer.

Topography of St. Catharine's Sound, Georgia.—The whole of Ossabaw Island had been traced in outline, and part of the details of topography had been filled in, previous to the war. In February, the unsurveyed space, including the lower part of Ossabaw Island, was mapped by Assistant C. M. Bache, with a party in the schooner Bailey. Mr. Bache then proceeded to a site of work lower down on the coast of Georgia.

Topography of St. Andrew's Sound, Georgia.—This work was commenced in March, the party

of Assistant Bache having passed to it with the schooner Bailey, by the inside route from Ossabaw. During March and April the outside approaches to the entrance of the sound, and the shores of the rivers and creeks emptying into it, were traced, and the adjoining details were mapped with the plane-table.

Mr. Eugene Ellicott rendered good service as aid in the topographical party.

The following are statistics of the work done:

Inside shore-line traced, (miles)	115
Coast-line traced, (miles)	9½
Area of topography, (square miles).....	54½

On the 3d of May, the schooner Bailey left Brunswick, Georgia, and on arrival was laid up at Portland, Maine.

Assistant Bache and Mr. Ellicott were, during the summer, employed in field-work in Section II.

Topography of Doboy Sound, Georgia.—The party of Assistant W. H. Dennis took up the detailed survey of Doboy Sound in the middle of January, using the schooner Caswell for the transportation of instruments and for quarters. After setting the requisite signal-poles, a junction was made with work done in a previous year by Assistant Longfellow on Blackbeard Island and Sapelo Island, (see Sketch No. 15,) and the topography of both of the islands was completed. In addition to the shores of the sound, Mr. Dennis traced and mapped the dependencies known as Duplin River, Darien River, North River, Back River, Connegan River, and on the north side of the sheet Mud River, by which there is water communication from Doboy Sound to Sapelo Sound. Cabrita Inlet, which borders the Government reservation of live-oak timber on Blackbeard Island, is also represented on the plane-table sheet of Assistant Dennis.

"Most of the firm land on Sapelo Island requires drainage for cultivation. There are some fine live-oak groves, considerable pine timber, and quite a number of fresh-water swamps. A large area of salt-marsh separates the island from the main-land, the distance being about five miles. This space is traversed in every direction by runs and creeks, the larger of which are navigable. The edge of the main-land is made quite irregular by long points of firm land extending into the marsh, and these being considered the most healthy locations are quite thickly settled."

In this survey Assistant Dennis was aided by Mr. J. G. Spaulding. The statistics of field-work are as follows:

Shore-line, navigable waters, (miles)	188
Shore-line, small creeks, (miles).....	96
Roads, (miles).....	52
Marsh outline.....	76
Area of plane-table sheet, (square miles)	81

The topography was closed on the 20th of May. After discharging the party the schooner Caswell was laid up at Darien. Mention of the subsequent occupation of Assistant Dennis has been made under Section I.

Hydrography of Doboy Sound, Georgia.—This hydrographic survey was commenced by Sub-Assistant Charles Junken on the 19th of February, with a party in the steamer Endeavor. Outside of the entrance a junction was formed with the soundings previously made in surveying the approaches to Sapelo Sound, and also with work done to the southward outside of Altamaha Sound. The hydrographic sheet of the season includes the bar and approaches, the inlet and Doboy Sound, Darien River to the town of Darien, the island passage through Mud River and Teakettle Creek, and all the estuaries connecting with Doboy Sound. The points requisite for the sounding lines were furnished by the topographical party of Assistant Dennis.

Sub-Assistant Junken was aided by Messrs. L. B. Wright and G. W. Bissell. The following is a synopsis from the hydrographic sheet:

Miles run in sounding	927
Angles determined	10,951
Number of casts of the lead.....	70,064

Forty signals were erected by the party in the Endeavor in prosecuting this survey. The soundings were completed on the 29th of May.

Mr. Junken was engaged with his party during the summer and autumn in work that has been reported under the head of Section I.

SECTION VI.

ATLANTIC COAST OF FLORIDA; THE REEFS AND KEYS, AND THE GULF COAST OF FLORIDA, AS FAR NORTH AS ST. JOSEPH'S BAY, NEAR TAMPA.—(SKETCH No. 16.)

Topography and hydrography of Barnes's Sound, Florida.—The survey of the peninsula of Florida in the immediate vicinity of Cape Sable has been well advanced by the party of Sub-Assistant C. T. Iardella working with the schooner Agassiz. Beginning near the cape, the plane-table survey was carried eastward and includes, besides the usual margin of the main land, all the outlying keys and patches in the vicinity of the shore or within the limits of the projected sheet. By means of sextant angles a subsidiary triangulation was made, sufficient for tracing the shore-line to about fifteen miles east and as far westward of Shark Point. One hundred and ten miles of shore-line were traced within an area of twenty square miles. The waters of the vicinity were also sounded by the party. In prosecuting this part of the work, fifty-three signals were erected and determined in position by sextant angles. The general particulars of the hydrography are as follows:

Miles run in sounding	138
Angles determined	112
Casts of the lead	5,107

The tides were recorded at three stations while the soundings were in progress.

The work in Barnes's Sound was continued until the middle of May.

Mr. H. L. Marindin aided in the topography and hydrography.

Hydrography near Florida Reef.—The hydrographic party under command of Acting Master Robert Platt, U. S. A., passed the latter part of the winter and the early part of spring in service with the steamer Bibb, in the vicinity of the Florida Reef. On the south side of the reef the curve of one hundred fathoms was determined from the Marquesas off to the southward and westward of the Tortugas. The banks existing in that quarter were sounded, and generally the seaward approaches to the Tortugas.

Lines of soundings were run between the Rebecca and Isaac Shoals and the Marquesas, and the channel between those shoals and the Tortugas was surveyed. In running the lines to the Marquesas, a number of shoal spots with only three and four fathoms were found by Acting Master Platt, directly in the channel hitherto supposed to be clear and to have from six to ten fathoms.

The great bank to the southward and westward of Loggerhead Key was thoroughly sounded out to a depth of thirty-five fathoms. No depth less than six fathoms was found in this survey. This bank is resorted to as a fishing-ground, the character of the bottom being generally coral rock. In furthering operations which will be alluded to presently, an aggregate of nearly fifteen hundred miles of lines of sounding were run at sea by the party in the steamer Bibb. Exclusive of these, the general statistics of the hydrographic work done in the section are as follows:

Miles run in rounding	783
Angles measured	2,655
Number of soundings	8,884

Acting Master Platt was aided by Messrs. Gershom Bradford and J. B. Adamson.

During the summer and autumn the party was steadily engaged in hydrographic work in Sections III and IV.

Assistant L. F. Pourtales accompanied the party in the steamer Bibb, and made investigations relative to the growth of coral, the formation of the reefs and keys of Florida, their liability to change, and the rate of such changes as have occurred. Important facts bearing upon some of

these questions were collected, and experiments were instituted to determine in future the time required for the growth of coral.

After the party was joined by Assistant Henry Mitchell, the Bibb proceeded to the Salt Key Bank to make soundings and current observations under his direction, across the St. Nicholas and Santaren Channels and across the Gulf Stream between Sombrero Light and the Double-Headed Shot Keys. Subsequently six lines of deep-sea soundings, accompanied by dredgings, were run normal to the Florida Reef between Sand Key and Sombrero. These developed the existence of a kind of submarine plateau, or gentle slope, with rocky bottom, forming a band parallel to the reef beyond the one-hundred-fathom line. As reported by Assistant Pourtales, this plateau is inhabited by a rich fauna of invertebrate animals, most of which are quite new to scientific investigators. Dredgings were made at depths of more than five hundred fathoms with ease and success. The report of Mr. Pourtales (Appendix No. 12) gives further details in regard to these operations. The interesting zoölogical results will be communicated, for the benefit of science, through another channel of publication.

Acting Master Platt facilitated, in every way within his power, the operations conducted by Assistants Pourtales and Mitchell.

SECTION VII.

GULF COAST OF WESTERN FLORIDA, AND OF ALABAMA EAST OF MOBILE BAY.— (SKETCH NO. 17.)

Triangulation and topography of St. Joseph's Bay, (north,) Florida.—Assistant S. C. McCorkle resumed field-work early in January at Cape St. Blas with a party in the schooner Torrey. After perfecting a connection between stations selected near the cape, and others which he had previously occupied in St. Vincent Sound, a triangulation was carried northward quite through St. Joseph's Bay. The lines of this triangulation span the bay, stations on the main-land connecting by lines with four stations on the sand-spit that bounds the bay on the westward. In passing from St. Vincent Sound across the peninsula above Cape St. Blas, one of the lines of triangulation required opening through the woods in order to bring into view the station on Black's Island in St. Joseph's Bay. The statistics of the triangulation are as follows:

Signals erected	6
Stations occupied	10
Angles measured	46
Number of observations	2,580

During March and April immense fires prevailed in the woods, and the smoke, with the storms then frequent, much impeded the field-work.

As the work of triangulation advanced, the topographical survey of St. Joseph's Bay was pushed by Sub-Assistant H. M. De Wees. Eastward of Cape St. Blas the shore-line survey was joined with the plane-table work done in a former year, and northward of the cape Mr. De Wees traced the entire shore-line of St. Joseph's Bay. In order to facilitate future operations in hydrography, the positions were determined of a number of points, all of which are carefully marked on the plane-table sheet. The statistics reported by Sub-Assistant De Wees are as follows:

Shore line surveyed, (miles)	79
Roads, (miles)	10
Bayous, (miles)	11
Area of topography, (square miles)	20

Early in May, when the field-work was discontinued, the schooner Torrey was laid up near Apalachicola.

A base-line of verification being desirable midway between the bases at Cape Sable and Dauphin Island, the attention of Assistant McCorkle has been given to the selection of a proper site. It is believed that the immediate vicinity of Apalachicola affords conditions quite favorable for the intended measurement.

Gulf coast near Mobile Point.—The topographical survey of the coast between Pensacola and Mobile Point was completed during the summer of 1867 by Assistant J. G. Oltmanns, work being then joined at East Gulf-shore station with the former survey that had been extended eastward from Mobile Point. For a greater part of the distance a linear measurement was substituted for triangulation to avoid the expense of cutting lines through a dense forest that skirts the beach closely. The measurement was made with the subsidiary base-apparatus described in the Coast Survey Report for 1857. In following the changing direction of the beach, the unbroken lines averaged about a quarter of a mile in length. The angles between the several lines were carefully measured and the directions were, besides, carried forward by angles between intervisible stations of the measurement, about five miles apart. These operations, somewhat novel in their present application, were planned by Assistant J. E. Hilgard and have been executed under his immediate direction.

On reaching the field covered by the survey made some years previous, Assistant Oltmanns could find none of the stations that had been trigonometrically determined to the eastward of Fort Morgan, their sites having been destroyed either by the action of the sea or wind. Although the work done afforded a sufficient junction for the purposes of a chart, it was deemed important that it should be effected with the accuracy that pertains to triangulation, so that no link might be wanting hereafter in the measurement of the great arc of a parallel from the mouth of the St. John's (Florida) to Galveston, in Texas, which the survey of the Gulf coast incidentally accomplishes.

On resuming field-work in November, 1867, Mr. Oltmanns was directed to make a measurement similar to that before executed, between his terminal station and Fort Morgan, obtaining an azimuth at the former point and referring the direction of his measured line at Fort Morgan to some point in the triangulation of Mobile Bay. A search for the former stations showed that most of them were irrecoverable, having been washed away or wantonly destroyed. This led to an examination of the condition of the base-line on Dauphin Island, and no vestige of the carefully secured points of that line remained excepting the disturbed marks at the east end. Assistant Oltmanns thus reports: "I regret to say that beyond the already mentioned disturbed marks at the east end, no trace of any mark whatever could be recognized. The entire line was then carefully chained from the east end, and, at every point for a mile-stone or other mark mentioned in the superintendent's journal of the original measurement, close and diligent search was made by my entire party, but without being once rewarded with success. Neither the old disturbed monument at the west end, nor the screw-pile, nor the marble blocks and logs mentioned in reports on the line by Assistants Hilgard and Gerdes could be found, though the search for them was close and continued for three days."

Mr. Oltmanns subsequently made a resurvey of points of land and islands circumscribing Mobile Entrance in order to determine what changes have taken place, and what means may be required to secure the site of Sand Island light. The exact position of the old light on Sand Island, a former triangulation point, was recovered, and the connecting line, Fort Morgan-Sand Island Light, thus secured for the work recently done. The measurement of the beach is in connection with that line, and was continued as far as practicable with the funds available for the expenditures of the party. A few miles yet remain to be measured. During the present season Assistant Oltmanns was aided by Mr. F. H. Agnew.

SECTION VIII.

GULF COAST OF ALABAMA AND MISSISSIPPI, AND OF LOUISIANA AS FAR WEST AS VERMILION BAY.—(Sketch No. 18.)

Triangulation and topography, Mississippi River, Louisiana.—Above the head of the passes the survey has been extended along the east bank of the Mississippi by the party of Sub-Assistant C. H. Boyd. The triangulation of this year includes Bird Island Sound, Grand Bay, and part of the western end of Isle au Breton Sound. Within the limits of triangulation the shore-lines of the river were traced, and a survey was made of the lagoons and bayous. In doing this the high

stage of water was a serious obstacle to steady work with the plane-table, the instrument being of necessity frequently set up in water two feet deep. The same cause impeded progress in the triangulation by making it difficult to gain firm positions for the theodolite. In most cases scaffolds with an elevation of twenty feet were required for the instrument, to enable the observer to see over the growth of reeds. In this way twenty-one positions were determined within an area of one hundred and thirty square miles. The statistics of triangulation are:

Stations occupied	11
Angles measured	70
Number of observations	702

The details shown on the two plane-table sheets comprise the following:

Outside shore-line, (miles)	103
Bayous, &c., (miles)	42
River-banks, (miles)	30

Field-work was commenced on the 1st of February, and closed on the 4th of May. The schooner James Hall was used in this survey.

Mr. H. G. Ogden efficiently aided in the triangulation and topography. The resulting topographical sheets have been inked by Mr. Boyd and deposited in the Office. Under Section I, notice has been taken of the subsequent operations of this party. Field-work will be continued in Isle au Breton Sound during the coming winter.

Hydrography of the Mississippi Delta.—A party in charge of Assistant F. P. Webber, with the schooner Varina and steam-launch Barataria, was detailed in January to complete the survey of the delta by sounding between the passes of the Mississippi. This duty was effected by the 4th of May. The work referred to includes Garden Island Bay, between Southeast Pass and South Pass; East Bay, between the latter and Southwest Pass; and West Bay, lying on the west side of the delta. East Bay having been partly sounded in 1867 by Assistant Gerdes, the work of this season was made continuous with the soundings given on his sheet of that quarter, and with others representing the hydrography of the passes and of the approaches to them. In connection with the soundings, Assistant Webber conducted tidal observations at Pilot Town (Southwest Pass) and at the light-house wharf in South Pass. The statistics of work are as follows:

Miles run in sounding	349
Angles	1,084
Number of soundings	27,481

Sub-Assistant Horace Anderson was attached to this party. Mr. A. P. Barnard served as aid. Assistant Webber acknowledges also the efficient services rendered by Mr. W. T. Angell, and by Acting Ensign E. Studley, jr., in prosecuting the hydrography, and the courtesy of Captain Freeman, of the Revenue Service, in giving tow with the cutter Wilderness, when it was desirable to transfer the schooner Varina, during a calm, to work at South Pass.

During several weeks in March the Varina and her crew were used by Assistant Dean in determining the position of the light-house at Last Island.

Assistant Webber passed the working season at the north in Section I.

Longitude.—In extending the system of observations by telegraph beyond New Orleans, a party was organized last winter under Assistant G. W. Dean, for making at Galveston, Texas, such determinations for longitude as have been made at various stations along the coast of the Atlantic and Gulf of Mexico in previous years.

The astronomical station occupied at New Orleans by Mr Dean in 1858 had been destroyed, but while engaged there he had established, and carefully marked, a meridian-line, in which the station was included. Granite posts set in that year to distinguish the line were easily found, and the copper bolts in them served to restore the line, and, of course, the position of the station in longitude. While a temporary observatory was being erected about forty feet due north of the station used in 1858, Assistant Edward Goodfellow put up a similar observatory in the public square of Galveston, near the Catholic cathedral. The subsequent operations, having in view the determination of the longitude of Galveston, will be stated under the head of Section IX. At New Orleans,

340 observations were made upon 38 zenith and circumpolar stars, with the 46-inch transit, C. S., No. 4, for determining the clock and instrumental corrections. Messrs. Dean and Goodfellow made the observations requisite at New Orleans for personal equation, in the month of February.

Mr. S. C. Chandler, jr., assisted in the longitude operations at this station, and remained in charge while Assistant Dean was absent on other duty in the section.

Ship Shoal light-house, Louisiana.—Near the close of February, Assistant Dean proceeded from New Orleans to Brashear City with two chronometers, and was there joined by Assistant Goodfellow with two other chronometers. All of them had been several times compared by telegraph with the astronomical clock at New Orleans, for determining the corrections and rates. Messrs. Dean and Goodfellow took steamer down the Atchafalaya, and at a point previously agreed upon were transferred to the Coast Survey schooner Varina, by which vessel they reached Last Island. There the requisite astronomical observations and other measurements were made for determining the latitude and longitude of Ship Shoal light-house. The chronometer corrections and rates at Last Island were determined by 18 transit observations upon 14 zenith and circumpolar stars, on two nights, and the astronomical station on the island was connected by triangulation with Ship Shoal light-house by means of a base of three lines, having a total length of two miles and three-quarters. The base was carefully measured with a twenty-meter chain.

When this service was complete, the schooner Varina was returned to the party of Assistant Webber. The work near Ship Shoal light-house was closed on the 14th of March.

SECTION IX.

GULF COAST OF LOUISIANA WEST OF VERMILION BAY, AND COAST OF TEXAS.— (SKETCH No. 19.)

Longitude of Galveston, Texas.—As stated in the preceding section of this report, the astronomical station at Galveston was located in the public square of the city. Assistant Goodfellow here made 179 observations upon 40 zenith and circumpolar stars, with transit No. 6, for clock and instrumental corrections. At favorable intervals between the 5th and 19th of February, clock comparisons were successfully made by telegraph on six nights, between Mr. Goodfellow at Galveston, and Assistant Dean at New Orleans. In connection with this work, the measurements necessary for referring the astronomical station to a station of the main triangulation, near Galveston, were made by Assistant Goodfellow, aided by Mr. F. Blake, jr.

Magnetic observations.—After completing the operations for longitude, Assistant Goodfellow and Mr. Blake crossed Galveston Bay to Dollar Point, and there made a series of magnetic determinations, three sets for the horizontal intensity and moment of inertia, observations on three days for dip, and eighty-four observations on two days for the magnetic declination.

Latitude of Lavaca, Texas.—In the month of April 186 observations were made by the party of Assistant Dean for latitude upon 35 sets of stars with the zenith telescope No. 5. The arc measure of the micrometer divisions was determined from 82 observations upon star 51 Cephei near its western elongation. For ascertaining the value of the level divisions, 60 observations were made upon the threads of a small theodolite which was adjusted to a sidereal focus.

Azimuth.—The true bearing of one of the lines of the triangulation near Lavaca was determined from 150 observations upon Polaris, near its western elongation, with a ten-inch Gambey theodolite. With the same instrument 105 measures were made of the angle between the elongation-mark and Sand Point signal. Astronomical time was obtained from 75 observations upon 19 zenith and circumpolar stars, with the twenty-four-inch transit No. 10.

Magnetic observations at Lavaca.—The declination was determined by 100 readings of the magnet scale on three days. Horizontal intensity and moment of inertia were ascertained by two complete series of experiments by deflections and vibrations on two days. The dip of the needle was found by three sets of observations repeated on three days.

Early in May Assistant Dean returned with his party to New Orleans, and from thence forwarded the instruments which had been in use in this section to the Coast Survey Office.

The results for longitude, latitude, azimuth, and magnetic elements were computed by the members of the party in the course of the summer. As heretofore, the use of the telegraph lines was freely accorded by the managers in the section. For important facilities Assistant Dean expresses his obligations to Colonel John Van Horn, general superintendent of the southern division; to Mr. D. Flanery, superintendent at New Orleans; and to Mr. D. P. Shepherd, superintendent of the lines in Texas. The kind action of the local officers had been previously sanctioned by the directors of the Western Union Telegraph Company.

Facilities were also furnished in the careful transportation of instruments by Captain J. N. Lewis and Captain J. J. Atkinson, of the Morgan Line of steamers at Brashear City.

Hydrography of Galveston Entrance, Texas.—Some additional data being requisite for the purposes of the Engineer Department, Sub-Assistant R. E. Halter made a special examination at Galveston Entrance in March and April. The shore-line was retraced at Fort Point and Pelican Spit, and borings were made in both places to determine the character of the deposit. At a number of stations across the entrance and inside of the harbor the direction and velocity of the current were observed. The information gathered at the request of Lieutenant W. S. Stanton, of the United States Corps of Engineers, and some additional soundings, were presented to that officer in the form of a chart for the uses of the Engineer Department.

Sub-Assistant Halter performed this service with the schooner M. L. Stevens, and was aided in hydrographic duty by Messrs. C. P. Dillaway and R. B. Palfrey. Mr. Halter subsequently conducted a party in Section I.

Hydrography of Matagorda and Lavaca Bays, Texas.—Previous to taking up the duty requested for the Engineer Department, as alluded to in the last notice, Sub-Assistant Halter had commenced the soundings requisite for completing the chart of Matagorda and Lavaca Bays. Two days were thus employed previous to the transfer of the hydrographic party to Galveston. The statistics of work done in Matagorda Bay are as follows:

Miles run in sounding.....	49
Angles measured.....	205
Number of soundings.....	4,962

Hydrography of Aransas Pass, Texas.—With a party in the schooner Peirce, Sub-Assistant F. F. Nes erected signals at the pass, and in Aransas Bay as far north as Mud Island. In the latter part of February soundings were made, completely developing the character of the entrance at that period. The bar is constantly shifting, but it is stated by the local pilots that a depth of eight feet can always be carried across at high tide.

While the party of Mr. Nes was engaged in Aransas Pass, six steamers were running regularly between Rockport and New Orleans. These carry principally live stock, but large quantities of beef, cured by infiltration and packed, are also sent eastward. Much of the produce exported from Corpus Christi, and merchandise and lumber received there in return, find way through Aransas Pass.

Sub-Assistant Nes was aided in this section by Sub-Assistant W. W. Harding and Mr. A. L. Ross. The statistics of work at Aransas Pass are as follows:

Miles run in sounding.....	76
Angles measured.....	498
Number of soundings.....	8,829

Hydrography of Corpus Christi Bay, Texas.—This work was taken up by Sub-Assistant Nes on the 3d of March, and was continued until the 23d of April. The vessel used by the party being in great need of repairs in order to be safe for the return to Galveston, Mr. Nes employed the crew in making such as were indispensable, there being at the time no ship-carpenters at Corpus Christi.

During the summer the hydrography done by the party in this section was plotted by Mr. Nes, and, as charts, turned in at the Office. A synopsis given on that of Corpus Christi Bay is as follows:

Miles run in sounding.....	578
Angles observed.....	1,430
Number of soundings.....	41,844

Sub-Assistant Nes passed the remainder of the season in duty afloat in Sections I and II. Mr. Harding was subsequently employed in Sections I and II. Both are now making arrangements for hydrographic work during the winter.

SECTION X.

PACIFIC COAST OF CALIFORNIA.—(SKETCH No. 23.)

Triangulation and topography on Santa Barbara Channel, California.—The survey of the shore of the Santa Barbara Channel has been advanced in both kinds of field-work by Assistant W. E. Greenwell. In the direction of Point Duma the secondary triangulation has been advanced, and seven additional stations have been occupied within limits covered by the topographical surveys of previous years. Mr. Greenwell took up plane-table work at Santa Barbara and extended it about seven miles along the sea-coast in the direction to San Buenaventura. The statistics are as follows:

Signals erected	7
Objects observed on	11
Number of observations	1,570
Shore-line surveyed, (miles)	7
Roads, (miles)	9½
Area of topography, (square miles)	9

The operations on the Santa Barbara Channel were much impeded by the undue fall of rain, which, during the wet season, made an aggregate of twenty-four inches, and by the fog and smoke that subsequently prevailed. In reference to the character of this part of the Pacific coast, Assistant Greenwell remarks: "Every little cove from Point Conception to San Buenaventura, a distance of ninety miles, will, when developed, give safe anchorage during eight months of the year; and with this facility to shipping the advance must be rapid in population and improvement. The climate is temperate, and the productiveness of the soil is probably unsurpassed in California. The vine, the fig, the olive, and the orange are found growing in perfection side by side in the same garden with the apple, peach, and pear, while the more essential productions, as maize, barley, and wheat, yield large returns along this entire coast."

Field operations were discontinued by Assistant Greenwell on the 10th of October.

Topography near San Francisco, California.—The topographical survey of the peninsula near San Francisco, at the request of the Engineer Department, was continued during the winter of 1867-'68 under the supervision of Assistant A. F. Rodgers, and was finally closed in the middle of January of the present year. The ground between School-House Station and Millbrae was mapped by Assistant C. Rockwell. After closing in the field, the details of the several plane-table sheets were combined by Assistant Rodgers into one large map for the use of the engineers. The contours being everywhere determined by means of the level, and the existing artificial details being filled in with the utmost accuracy, this sheet cannot fail to meet all the requirements of the service for defensive purposes.

Sub-Assistant G. Farquhar and Mr. A. W. Chase aided in the office-work connected with this survey. The last-named aid joined the party of Assistant Greenwell in May, but subsequently conducted a party for a local survey on the coast of Oregon. In June Mr. Farquhar was assigned to duty in the hydrographic party of Assistant Cordell. Assistant Rockwell, with his aid, Mr. L. A. Sengteller, proceeded to Astoria in May for plane-table work on the shores of the Columbia River.

Assistant A. F. Rodgers, after completing his sheets of the survey of the interior of the peninsula near San Francisco, traced the adjacent roads and other features so as to perfect a junction with the old sheets of the survey which had passed around the shore-line of the peninsula. He completed his field-work by a resurvey of the city of San Francisco, in order to make the outlets to the westward conformable to the present directions of the roads. The material of the several plane-table sheets were then collected and combined, part by part, in the preparation of a compre-

hensive map for the Engineer Department. This labor has been nearly accomplished, and will result in the production of a very large sheet, unsurpassed in thoroughness and accuracy of detail.

Tidal observations.—The self-registering gauge at San Diego is still kept in operation by Mr. A. Cassidy, and that at Fort Point (San Francisco Entrance) by Mr. H. E. Uhrlandt, both being under the supervision of Major G. H. Elliot, of the Corps of Engineers, United States Army.

Mr. Uhrlandt has continued, also, as heretofore, the tabulation of the readings of high and low waters from the tide-rolls furnished by all the self-registering gauges on the Pacific coast.

SECTION XI.

COAST OF OREGON AND OF WASHINGTON TERRITORY.—(Sketch No. 24.)

Topography and hydrography of Yaquina Bay, Oregon.—This survey was commenced on the 9th of July by Sub-Assistant A. W. Chase. From Newport, at the entrance, the bay extends about five miles, with an average width of two miles. It then contracts, and, as a river-channel, carries tidal water twenty miles further to Elk City.

After measuring a base-line of a thousand meters, Mr. Chase made a triangulation by means of the plane-table, to include the entrance, and three and a half miles of the outer coast on the north side of the entrance, or as far as Cape Foulweather, which is a prominent headland, and useful as a guide in approaching the entrance of the bay. The plane-table survey was made to embrace the entire bay, and the approaches north and south for several miles. Soundings were continued as the shore-line survey was advanced, and, by the close of October, the hydrography of the bar, including the approaches, and the bay was completed. A tide-gauge was kept in operation while the soundings were in progress, and the currents were observed at two stations.

The result of the survey of the bar seems to have given general satisfaction to the inhabitants whose interests depend upon the development. Already a company has been formed for the construction of a railway to carry the produce of the Willamette Valley to the head of Yaquina Bay, from whence it can be transported in vessels to San Francisco. Sub-Assistant Chase was aided in this survey by Mr. Stehman Forney. The following are statistics of the field-work:

Shore-line surveyed, (miles).....	16½
Area of topography, (square miles).....	6
Miles run in sounding.....	200
Sextant angles.....	1,720
Number of soundings.....	8,552

On a ledge of rock outside of the entrance to the bay, Mr. Chase found at one place a depth of only six feet at mean low water. His recommendation, that the ledge should be marked by buoys, has been made known to the Light-House Board.

The bar has on it nine feet at mean low water, but the channel across it, as reported by Sub-Assistant Chase, is so straight, and so well defined by the breakers on each side, that with a pilot or chart to guide them, vessels drawing ten, twelve, or even thirteen feet can enter or depart with safety by choosing the time of tide. As shown by the chart of soundings, (Sketch No. 25,) the bar is quite narrow. All the dangers to navigation in the approaches, the character of the bar, course and capacity of the channel, and other particulars of great local interest, including sailing directions for entering Yaquina Bay, were communicated by Mr. Chase to the authorities of Newport in October, and have been made known to the inhabitants through the newspapers of Oregon. A tracing from the plane-table sheet of the entrance has been furnished also to the engineer of the light-house district, Lieutenant Colonel R. S. Williamson, United States Engineers.

Before returning to San Francisco Mr. Chase made perspective drawings or views of the entrances in the vicinity, as well as that of Yaquina Bay. His drawings include a view of Cape Foulweather, and views of the openings made in the coast by Eel River and Rogue River.

A compass reconnaissance was run along the coast to the southward as far as Cape Perpetua. Then seeking the highest point on the cape, Mr. Chase took compass bearings on the surrounding peaks and other coast features, including Corvallis, Alseya River and Mountain, Cape Foulweather, Scott's Peak, and several others.

Reconnaissance of Nehalem River Entrance, Oregon.—This entrance, which opens into the Pacific about thirty miles south of the mouth of the Columbia River, was examined in September by Sub-Assistant G. Farquhar, of the party of Assistant Cordell, with the schooner Marcy. Owing to the lateness of the season, it was impracticable to sound on the bar, but in that direction soundings were made about a mile outside of the entrance. A depth of seven feet was found in mid-channel. The spit which bounds it on the west is formed in part by a kind of quicksand. Fog and smoke prevailed in the whole region during the visit of the hydrographic party. Judging from the breakers, Mr. Farquhar concluded that the depth of water on the bar in September, at mean low tide, was not more than five feet.

Stone-coal has been found on a branch of the Nehalem, at a short distance from the mouth of the river.

Topography of the Columbia River, Oregon.—The plane-table survey of this season, by Assistant Cleveland Rockwell, has been confined to the southern bank of the river. Commencing at Astoria on the 1st of July, the topographical survey was carried, in the course of the season, eastward somewhat beyond the mouth of John Day's River, and westward to include part of the sea-coast of the Pacific beyond Point Adams. Assistant Rockwell was aided by Mr. L. A. Sengteller. The following is a synopsis of the statistics of field-work:

Shore-line surveyed, (miles).....	39
Marsh, islands, &c., (miles).....	59
Area of topography, (square miles).....	19

This survey is comprised on two sheets, of which one includes the peninsula of Point Adams, the location of the military post of Fort Stevens, and the south side of the river as far as Young's Bay. The second sheet represents the vicinity of Astoria, Tongue Point, and other features within the plane-table limits. The surface details of the two sheets mark plainly the change of character that occurs at Young's Bay, the shore of the river above it being high and bold.

"The whole country is not only covered with a heavy growth of the largest evergreen timber, but densely clothed with thick and impenetrable bushes, chiefly of the berry-bearing class. This dense jungle is the principal impediment in prosecuting the topographical survey. The north (or Washington Territory) side of the river is very bold, almost mountainous. Cliffs and precipices occur at almost every point.

"Above the remarkable neck of land called Tongue Point, where the river widens into a large sheet of water known as Cathlamet Bay, there are again large areas of tide lands, or swamps, intersected by numerous channels. Some of these channels are navigable, and are used by the small steamers plying between Astoria and Portland.

"The smoke from fires in the forest became quite troublesome at the end of August, and soon after enveloped the whole country, obscuring the sun and seriously impeding navigation even at sea. For this reason no work could be done on a third plane-table sheet, which was projected to include part of the north side of the Columbia, above Cape Disappointment."

The party of Assistant Rockwell is now engaged on the shore of the Santa Barbara Channel.

Hydrography of Columbia River, Oregon, (Sketch No. 26.)—This important survey, commenced at the outset of the present working season, was prosecuted during the winter by Assistant Edward Cordell with a party in the schooner Marcy, and was completed near the end of last April, leaving at that date outstanding the development of the bar and approaches.

Relative to the survey of the river between Three Tree Point and Gray's Bay, Mr. Cordell reports: "A careful examination of the waters to the northward of the Snag Islands developed a new channel, wider and straighter and with $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet more water than the channel heretofore used, to the southward of those islands. Since the discovery of the new channel obviates the necessity of passing over two other bars of $14\frac{1}{2}$ feet in the old channel, vessels will hereafter, when the new one is buoyed, avail themselves of it and find only one spot, of 16 feet shoalest water, obstructing its passage."

The inside channels and passages between Tongue Point and Cathlamet Head, used by river-steamers only, were also sounded out, and the outlines were traced of the islands, marshes, flats, and bare shoals existing in Cathlamet Bay.

The hydrography of the Columbia being specially called for by the Chief of Engineers, Major General Humphreys, the survey in all its details was made conformable to the wishes of the Engineer Department. These were made known to the working parties by General Barton S. Alexander, of the Corps of Engineers. For the work at the bar and in the approaches, the steam-tug *Katy* was assigned by that officer to coöperate with the hydrographic party of Assistant Cordell. With that assistance the survey was vigorously pushed, and was finally completed on the 8th of September.

Great and remarkable changes since the year 1852 were developed in sounding at the entrance of the river. In reference to the entire work the hydrographic inspector remarks: "The results of this survey are important, first, in the discovery of a channel above Astoria, having nearly two feet more water than the old channel; and, secondly, the development of the changes on and about the bar. These last verify the traditional laws of change as well as the results of former surveys. The permanent main channel is the *north* channel. The south channel, now the *apparent* main channel, is temporary, and at present in its most favorable condition. It has hitherto, from this position, gradually approached Point Adams, contracting its width and shoaling its bar, until it ran close along the beach, where it ultimately closed. In the mean time Sand Island and the middle sands moved eastward, and the north channel widened until it became the only navigable channel. The south channel would not again become navigable until in the course of years, say eight or ten, it had worked out to the westward below Sand Island, to its present position."

In reference to the north channel Assistant Cordell reports: "It is more crooked and contracted than formerly, and the depth of water on the bar has decreased from five to three and a quarter fathoms. During strong northwest winds it breaks completely across the bar."

For the special use of the Engineer Department, Mr. Cordell made a triangulation of the mouth of the Columbia, marking as stations Cape Disappointment, Chinook Point, Point Adams, and Sand Island. The stations were secured by blocks of sandstone. The results of the triangulation, giving the distances and geographical positions, were furnished to Captain Raymond, United States Engineers, in charge of Fort Stevens. Upon the data thus derived the topography of the Columbia Entrance was prosecuted by Assistant Rockwell.

In connection with the soundings near the bar, and simultaneous with those near Astoria, tidal observations were made during two lunations at Cape Disappointment, and at Fort Stevens, (Point Adams.) An intermediate tide-gauge was erected in a little cove at Sand Island, but Assistant Cordell was forced to abandon it because of its exposed position. High and low water, and the direction of the currents, were repeatedly observed in twelve fathoms water, outside of the bars of the north and south channels. Commodore Watson, light-house inspector, assigned the schooner *Ellen* to aid in the observations, and Mr. Cordell furnished in return all needful information respecting the buoys for the channels embraced in his survey. At the request of Commodore Watson the hydrographic party in the *Marcy* took up the sea-buoy off the entrance to the north channel, (to be placed off the south channel entrance,) and placed a first-class red buoy near the entrance, point of Clatsop Spit, for the guidance of vessels clearing that point.

The prosecution of soundings on the Columbia River during winter was attended with danger to the safety of the surveying vessel. Freezing weather in January, followed by strong northeast winds, filled the lower part of the river with large fields of floating ice, and though Mr. Cordell hastened to get the *Marcy* into a place of shelter, a considerable part of the copper sheathing was torn off and the planking was cut two inches deep by the ice-drift in less than half an hour. The vessel was saved by being beached at Young's Point. No disaster occurred to the members of the party, although the night of the 8th of January was passed in great personal peril, not only to them, but to the crews of other vessels in the river. The *Marcy* was next day safely moored at the steamer's wharf at Astoria, and with slight repairs was used during the entire season.

The statistics of the hydrographic survey of the Columbia River, including the bar and approaches, are as follows:

Miles run in sounding.....	.....
Angles.....	.....
Number of soundings.....	.....

Sub-Assistant Farquhar was attached to the hydrographic party, and during the latter part of the season Mr. Albert P. Redding served as aid.

Triangulation of the Strait of Fuca, Washington Territory.—When my last annual report closed Assistant J. S. Lawson was still engaged in the vicinity of Protection Island, in triangulation work, with a view of perfecting the connection between the astronomical stations at Victoria and Point Hudson. This was partially done, notwithstanding the smoky atmosphere and very unfavorable weather prevailing at that period. The opportunity was taken to reset and to make more permanent the marks for identifying the important astronomical station at Point Hudson. After turning in the results of field-work to Assistant Davidson, Mr. Lawson resumed the triangulation at New Dungeness, but, finding much hinderance in the prevailing southeast gales, soon transferred his party to Steilacoom, and closed the working season in the field by additional measurements in the triangulation of Puget Sound. The brig Fautleroy was then taken to Olympia and laid up for the winter. Assistant Lawson and his aid, Mr. J. J. Gilbert, then engaged in the office-work and computations. All the sheets and records due from the party have been received. The following is a synopsis of the triangulation:

Stations occupied.....	12
Objects observed.....	54
Angles measured.....	44
Number of observations.....	2,322

After completing a survey that will be mentioned under the next heading, the party of Assistant Lawson returned to this vicinity, and traced about six miles of the shore-line to the westward of Point Wilson, and mapped the neighboring features.

Mr. Lawson is now engaged in the plane-table survey of Port Discovery. This work was preceded by connecting the local triangulation previously done there with the triangulation of the Strait of Fuca, determined by the party last year. Six stations were occupied in perfecting the connection, and over a thousand angular measurements were made with the theodolite.

Topography and hydrography of Port Madison, Washington Territory, (Sketch No. 27.)—The survey at Port Madison, which is on the west side and about midway in the course of Admiralty Inlet, was taken up by Assistant Lawson early in the present surveying season. The plane-table sheet contains the details adjacent to about twenty-five miles of shore-line, and also the northern entrance to Port Orchard, which is connected by a water-passage with the western side of Port Madison. The surface of Port Madison covers about fifteen square miles. A tide-gauge was early started and was kept in operation while the party was occupied in field-work and hydrography. The soundings were made mostly with the boats of the brig Fautleroy, but the temporary use of a steam-launch was had in running lines out to the deep water of Admiralty Inlet in the approaches to Port Madison. The hydrographic statistics are as follows:

Miles run in sounding.....	288
Angles measured.....	1,178
Number of soundings.....	11,120

At the request of Lieutenant Colonel Williamson, Assistant Lawson accompanied that officer on a tour of inspection through Admiralty Inlet and Puget Sound, and communicated in writing the results of his personal experience and observation relative to the lights needful for navigation in those waters. The report was accompanied by a chart marked to show the positions of lights deemed advisable, and also by topographical sketches showing the sites recommended.

Tidal observations.—Mr. L. Wilson has remained in charge of the self-registering tide-gauge at Astoria, Oregon, under the supervision of Major G. H. Elliot, of the United States Engineers. Mr. Wilson still continues his comprehensive record of meteorological phenomena.

COAST OF ALASKA.—(SKETCHES NOS. 20, 21, AND 22.)

Alaska reconnaissance.—Assistant George Davidson, after returning from the coast of Alaska, passed the winter and spring in drawing and inking the surveys made during the reconnaissance expedition, and in collecting and combining for chart purposes the off-shore soundings. In the course of the season, Mr. Davidson collated information from upward of eighty published volumes,

and combined the results of his own observations in preparing the Alaska Coast Pilot, similar in character to the useful Directory of the Pacific Coast of the United States, of which two editions have been given in the appendix of previous annual reports on the coast survey. Assistant Davidson is now at San Francisco in general charge of the field operations on the western coast, and preparing to make a reconnaissance for continuing the main triangulation of the coast of California. Before sailing in November, he had prepared a third edition of his Directory, which is about to be issued as a Coast Pilot for California, Oregon, and Washington Territory. Under the direction of Mr. Davidson, the astronomical work of the Alaska expedition has been computed by Sub-Assistant A. T. Mosman, and also the results of the local triangulations made at Sitka, St. Paul, and Ilionliouk. Sixteen of the numerous views drawn while the party was on the coast of Alaska have been lithographed under the immediate supervision of the chief of the party. The attention of Assistant Davidson has also been given to the extension of the list of time-stars used in the survey for astronomical purposes; an aggregate of twelve thousand observations being thus noted for the positions of stars.

The Alaska Coast Pilot is nearly complete in manuscript, and will be published at an early day.

COAST SURVEY OFFICE.

The general direction of the operations in the Office of the Coast Survey, where the materials gathered by the field-parties are combined and published, has remained as heretofore with Assistant J. E. Hilgard. The work of the Office is kept close up to the field-work; the results of each season are fully elaborated within the subsequent year, and all accumulation of back work is thus avoided, except so far as the completion of the survey over more extended areas affords the data for comprehensive adjustments of geodetic results and for charts of a general character. Such final elaborations are likewise effected whenever practicable. The operations of the past year are briefly stated below.

In the computing division, under the able charge of Assistant C. A. Schott, the force employed and distribution of duties has been the same as for several years past; Assistant T. W. Werner computing the current triangulations; Dr. G. Rumpf making the verifications of the same by comparison with the field computations, keeping the registers of geographical positions, and making the computations for the final adjustment of the triangulation, assisted by Mr. E. Courtenay, who also performed the clerical work of the division, while Mr. J. Main made computations of astronomical work.

The computations of adjustment by the method of least squares have received the personal attention of Mr. Schott, who in all cases established the conditional equations. Among his labors may be specially mentioned the computation of the geodetic measure of an arc of the meridian passing through Nantucket, which forms the subject of Appendix No. 9; the adjustment of the secondary triangulation of Long Island Sound, Appendix No. 8; special computations of considerable magnitude relating to the changes in a tidal wave entering a harbor; and observations of the magnetic declination, dip, and intensity on three days of each month throughout the year.

The tidal division has been continued under the charge of Mr. R. Avery, by whom, with the assistance of Mr. A. Gottheil and Mr. J. Downes, the tide-tables for the year 1869, for the principal ports of the United States, have been computed, and their publication supervised. The reductions of tidal observations in progress at stations on the coast have been kept up, and tables of tidal constants for all the charts prepared during the year have been supplied. A somewhat extended discussion of three series of tidal observations at Sitka may be specially mentioned, as well as an examination of the remarkable earthquake waves observed on the Pacific coast. In the general work of the division some aid was rendered by Miss M. Thomas.

In the hydrographic division the work of the sounding parties is mapped, the reduced drawings of hydrography or charts prepared for publication are verified, sailing directions and all other notes relative to navigation are prepared, under the direction of C. P. Patterson, inspector of hydrography, by Mr. E. Willenbücher, aided by Mr. J. Sprandel.

The work in the drawing division has been carried on under the immediate direction of Assistant Hilgard, aided by W. T. Bright, whose assistance in planning the work and in preparing

map projects has been of great value. Drawings for engraved charts have been made by A. Lindenkohl, chief draughtsman, and by Messrs. H. Lindenkohl, L. Karcher, and F. Fairfax. Traced copies of maps have been made by W. Fairfax and B. Hooe. Copies of manuscript maps and charts, or portions of such, are frequently furnished, upon request, to other branches of the public service, as well as to private persons, the latter of course paying for the cost thereof. This is an important form in which the information collected by the Coast Survey becomes available to the public, and a list of the maps so furnished during the year is given in Appendix No. 2. A list of the maps and charts, either wholly drawn during the year or the work on which has been continued as far as the material on hand permitted, together with the names of the persons engaged upon them, is given in Appendix No. 3. Views of head-lands and approaches to harbors have been taken during the year by Mr. W. McMurtrie, and were afterward drawn by him for engraving on the charts.

Engraving division.—Under the efficient superintendence of Assistant E. Hergesheimer, the work in this important branch of the Office has made good progress, and a marked gain in economy has been effected, without any decline in the quality or style of the work, which, on the contrary, has improved in force and perspicuity. Forty-eight charts have been in progress of engraving during the year, of which nineteen have been completed and published. There has been no change in the engraving force since the previous year. The charts worked upon, and names of engravers engaged upon them, are given in Appendix No. 4.

Messrs. J. Enthoffer, H. C. Evans, A. Rolle, and A. Sengteller have engraved the first-class topography. Messrs. J. C. Kondrup, A. M. Maedel, R. F. Bartle, and W. A. Thompson have been engaged upon topography; and Messrs. H. S. Barnard, W. A. Thompson, and F. W. Benner upon sanding. The first-class lettering has been engraved by Messrs. J. Knight and E. A. Maedel. Messrs. A. Petersen, J. G. Thompson, and E. H. Sipe have also been engaged upon lettering. Soundings upon the preliminary charts have been punched by Mr. A. Buckle. Mr. E. Molkow has pantographed the outlines of the $\frac{1}{40000}$ scale charts.

The clerical duties of the division have been performed, until July 1, by Mr. W. N. Meeks, and since that date by Mr. G. A. Morrison.

The *electrotyping* and *photographing* have been continued by Mr. George Mathiot. Thirty-one copper plates—nearly all of the largest class—have been made by the electrotype process, seventeen of which were mold-plates, or “altos,” taken from engraved plates, and fourteen were printing plates, or “bassos.” Three of the altos, viz, “Savannah and Wassaw,” coast chart Nos. 5 and 28, were constructed by fitting together portions of other plates, and incorporating them by the electrotype process. The photographic reduction of topographical sheets to the scales of publication, as patterns for the engraver, has been continued as heretofore.

The division of *charts* and *instruments*, which includes besides the safe-keeping of the archives and instruments, the map-printing, sale and distribution of charts and reports, the instrument and carpenter shops, has been under the supervision of Mr. J. T. Hoover. The duty of registering and filing the original maps and charts of the survey, and the records of observations made in the field, as well as keeping an account of the same as they are used in the Office, has been performed by Mr. A. Zumbrock. Twenty-five topographic and forty-seven hydrographic sheets have been turned into the Office during the year, and one hundred and ninety volumes of trigonometrical, astronomical, and magnetical observations, two hundred and seventy-one sounding-books, and eighty-eight tide-books.

The copper-plate printing has been done by Mr. T. V. Durham; the map-room has been in the care of Mr. T. McDonnell, and Mr. H. Nissen has prepared the backed drawing-paper for field and office use, besides performing the miscellaneous duties pertaining to the folding-room.

An aggregate of thirteen thousand nine hundred charts have been issued during the year, and four thousand three hundred copies of annual reports of various years have been distributed.

The work of repairing instruments, and of reconstructing those now out, has been performed, under the supervision of Mr. W. Würdemann, by J. Foller, C. W. Black, and W. Jacobi. The woodwork of instruments, their packing for transportation, and all work of carpentry required in the Office has been done by Mr. A. Yeatman, assisted, during part of the time, by George Plimley.

The clerical duties of correspondence and accounts of the Office have been, as during past years,

performed by Mr. V. E. King, assisted by Mr. William H. Davis. In the hydrographic division Mr. T. Emory, and, in the engraving division, Mr. George A. Morrison have been employed as copyists.

PROFESSIONAL PAPERS.—Besides the memoirs already mentioned in their proper connection, there appear in the appendix to this report the following papers of a professional character, illustrating the methods and practice of the Coast Survey, viz: No. 6. Mode of forming a brief tide-table for a chart, by R. S. Avery, in charge of the tidal division of the Office; No. 7. Memoranda relating to the practice of the secondary triangulation of the Coast Survey, prepared by Assistant R. D. Cutts; No. 10. Addenda to Appendixes Nos. 9 and 11 of Report for 1866, relating to observations for time and azimuth, prepared by Assistant Charles A. Schott; No. 11. Note on Gulf Stream explorations, by Assistant H. Mitchell.

GEOGRAPHICAL POSITIONS.—The list of geographical positions of stations determined in the progress of the Coast Survey is continued from previous reports in Appendix No. 13.

GEOGRAPHICAL NAMES.—Much embarrassment has been experienced in the Office from the unsettled orthography of names of Indian origin, and from the frequent changes in local names derived from those of proprietors. The assistant in charge of the Office has availed himself of the advice of persons, in different parts of the country, learned in the aboriginal tongues, or conversant with the history of the settlements and the original names of families and localities.

He takes this occasion to express his great indebtedness to the late Professor J. H. Alexander, LL.D., of Baltimore, who had the kindness to revise the nomenclature on the charts of Chesapeake Bay and its estuaries. It is to be regretted that his notes, scattered over maps and in letters, are not in a form to be readily combined into a memoir, as they are full of matters of historical, archæological, or linguistic interest.

A similar discussion, in a more systematic form, for the coast of Maine, has been undertaken, at the instance of Assistant Hilgard, by the Rev. Edward Ballard, secretary of the Maine Historical Society, whose first contribution is printed at the end of this report, as Appendix No. 14.

ISTHMUS OF DARIEN.

In the spring of 1867, Assistant Davidson, after having collated the best information then extant in regard to the Isthmus of Darien, and in particular the observations made on the ground by M. Hellert, embodied the results, which will be found in Appendix No. 15. These, with his suggestions based on a personal visit to the Isthmus of Panama in the preceding winter, in regard to means and expedients for prosecuting explorations, are inserted for any reference that may be desirable in future, in view of the interest now manifested by the public in reference to the practicability of a ship-canal across the isthmus.

CONCLUSION.

During the illness of my lamented predecessor, the administration of the survey fell upon the shoulders of the assistant in charge, J. E. Hilgard, esq. The distinguished ability with which this difficult service was discharged was manifest to all. His familiarity with all the operations and officers of the survey was thereby strengthened. He has extended to me the benefits of this experience liberally and loyally. While I willingly acknowledge myself under deep and lasting obligations to him for the aid thus rendered me, I can also testify that in all respects he has been equally true to my predecessor, the greatness of whose reputation has not been diminished in his keeping.

The important services rendered by Samuel Hein, esq., general disbursing agent of the Coast Survey, deserve earnest commendation; his experience, rigid and systematic economy, and unerring rectitude contribute essentially to the easy progress of the survey. My principal clerk, W. W. Cooper, esq., must also receive my hearty commendation for unwearied exertions in the performance of his duties.

Respectfully submitted.

Hon. HUGH McCULLOCH,
Secretary of the Treasury.

BENJAMIN PEIRCE,
Superintendent United States Coast Survey.

APPENDIX.

APPENDIX No. 1.

Distribution of the parties of the Coast Survey upon the coasts of the United States during the surveying season of 1867-'68.

Limits of sections.	Parties.	Operations.	Persons conducting operations.	Localities of operations.
SECTION I.				
Atlantic coast of Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, and Rhode Island.	No. 1	Triangulation.....	G. A. Fairfield, assistant; F. W. Perkins, aid.	Triangulation for the plane-table survey of the Fox Islands and others, in the entrance of Penobscot Bay. (See also Section IV.)
	2	Topography	F. W. Dorr, assistant; H. G. Ogden and Joseph Hergesheimer, aids.	Topography of Vinal Haven and of islands southward of the Thoroughfare, in Penobscot Bay. (See also Sections IV and VIII.)
	3	Hydrography	Charles Junken, sub-assistant; L. B. Wright and G. W. Bissell, aids.	Soundings developing the Fox Island Thoroughfare and its east and west approaches. Hydrography of Penobscot Entrance continued eastward of Seal Island Rock. (See also Section V.)
	4	Topography	W. H. Dennis, assistant; F. H. Agnew, aid, (part of season.)	Plane-table survey of Tennants' Harbor, Seal Harbor, and Mosquito Harbor, and of the adjacent shore of George's River, Me. (See also Section V.)
	5	Topography	Charles Hosmer, sub-assistant; O. H. Tittmann, aid.	Topography of the Medomak River completed, and survey of part of the west side of George's River, Me. (See also Section V.)
	6	Hydrography	R. E. Halter, sub-assistant; W. W. Harding, sub-assistant, (part of season;); W. I. Vinal, aid.	Soundings between Pemaquid Point and Allen's Island, completing the hydrography of Muscongus Bay, Me. (See also Sections III and IX.)
	7	Triangulation.....	S. C. McCorkle, assistant.....	Triangulation of Kennebec River, Me., extended from Merrymeeting Bay northward to Augusta. (See also Section VII.)
	8	Hydrography	J. S. Bradford, sub-assistant; Geo. C. Schaeffer, jr., aid.	Development of ledges near Kennebec Entrance and in that river. Sounding of Damiscove Harbor and of the vicinity of Cape Small Point. Additional soundings in Wiscasset Harbor, and development of Half-Way Rock, in Casco Entrance, Me. (See also Section IV.)
	9	Topography	C. H. Boyd, sub-assistant	Plane-table survey of Half-Way Rock, in the entrance to Casco Bay, Me. (See also Section VIII.)
	10	Topography	A. W. Longfellow, assistant.....	Detailed survey of the shores of Winnegance Bay and of the lower part of New Meadows River, Me.
	11	Triangulation, topography, and hydrography.	J. A. Sullivan, assistant; Horace Anderson, sub-assistant; A. Lindenkohl and J. N. McClintock, aids.	Munjoy Hill minutely surveyed for the city authorities of Portland, Me. Hydrographic development of the vicinity. (See also Section VIII.)
	12	Triangulation.....	Charles Ferguson, sub-assistant...	Triangulation of Saco Bay, Me., between Wells Village and Richmond Island. (See also Section V.)
	13	Triangulation, topography, and hydrography.	C. H. Boyd and H. W. Bache, sub-assistants; J. G. Spaulding, aid.	Triangulation of the vicinity of Dennis, Brewster, Orleans, Harwick, and Chatham, (Cape Cod Peninsula.) Topography of the vicinity of Chatham. Hydrography of Pleasant Bay. (See also Sections IV and VIII.)
	14	Topography	Hull Adams, assistant; H. L. Marindin, aid.	Plane-table survey of Cape Cod Bay between Orleans and Brewster, and of the Coast of the peninsula between Nausett and the entrance to Pleasant Bay. (See also Section VI.)
	15	Topography	P. C. F. West, assistant.....	Detailed survey of Sursuit and Nobscusset Harbors, (Cape Cod Bay,) and of the bay shore between Brewster and North Dennis. Resurvey of Monomoy Point, Mass.
	16	Hydrography	F. F. Nes, sub-assistant	Soundings on the Shovelfull Shoal and in the vicinity of Pollock Rip, off Monomoy, Mass. (See also Sections II and IX.)
	17	Triangulation	F. P. Webber, assistant	Determination of the position of the light-ship on the "Hen and Chickens," (Buzzards' Bay.) (See also Section VIII.)

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APPENDIX No. 1—Continued.

Limits of sections.	Parties.	Operations.	Persons conducting operations.	Localities of operations.
SECTION I—Continued.	No. 18	Triangulation.....	S. C. McCorkle, assistant	Points determined for the plane-table survey of the shore of Wickford Bay, R. I., and adjacent shores of Narraganset Bay. (See also Section VII.)
	19	Topography.....	A. M. Harrison, assistant; H. M. De Wees, sub-assistant.	Detailed topography of the shores of Narraganset Bay continued, in the vicinity of Wickford Harbor, Warwick Neck, Greenwich Bay, and near Warren, R. I. (See also Section VII.)
	20	Hydrography....	F. P. Webber, assistant; F. D. Granger and A. P. Barnard, aids.	Hydrography of Narraganset Bay completed by soundings, in the vicinity of Canonicut Island, Hope Island, and Quonset Point. (See also Section VIII.)
		Tidal observations.	A. C. Mitchell, G. D. Wooster, H. Howland.	Observations with self-registering tide-gauge at Owl's Head (Penobscot Entrance) closed. Series continued with the same instrument at North Harbor, Penobscot Bay. Continuous observations at Charlestown navy yard, Mass.
SECTION II. Coast of Connecticut, New York, and New Jersey, including, also, Pennsylvania and part of the coast of Delaware.	1	Triangulation.....	John Farley, assistant	Primary station-points examined on the coast of Connecticut, New York, and New Jersey, and others between Philadelphia and the head of Chesapeake Bay.
	2	Tides & currents, topography and hydrography.	F. H. Gerdes, assistant; F. F. Nes, sub-assistant.	Levelings along the East River at Hell-Gate, and special observations on the tides and currents. Hydrographic resurvey for pilot commissioners of the harbor channel between New York City and Staten Island. Plane-table and hydrographic survey of the entrance to Rondout Creek; and examination of hydrographic changes in the vicinity of the lights on the river between Hudson City and Albany, N. Y. (See also Sections I and IX.)
	3	Triangulation.....	W. S. Edwards, assistant	Connection of geodetic work of New York Harbor with the triangulation of the coast of New Jersey.
	4	Topography	C. M. Bache, assistant; Eugene Ellicott, aid.	Plane-table survey of the coast of New Jersey between Squan River and Barnegat Bay. (See also Section V.)
		Tidal observations.	R. T. Bassett, A. C. Mitchell	Series of observations continued with self-registering tide-gauge on Governor's Island, (New York Harbor;) and with the box-gauge at Hamilton Ferry, Brooklyn. Bench-marks established at stations on the coast of New Jersey.
SECTION III. Coast of part of Delaware; coast of Maryland; and part of the coast of Virginia.	1	Geodetic operations.	C. O. Boutelle, assistant; F. H. Agnew, aid.	Hill Station and Webb, near Washington City, occupied as points in the primary triangulation south of Kent Island base. Magnetic elements determined at both stations. (See also Sections I and V.)
	2	Topography and hydrography.	J. W. Donn, sub-assistant; R. B. Palfrey, aid, (part of season.)	Plane-table survey and sounding of estuaries on the west side of Chesapeake Bay.
	3	Hydrography	Clarence Fendall, sub-assistant, (part of season;) A. F. Pearl, aid; W. W. Harding, sub-assistant, (part of season.)	Hydrography of estuaries on the east side of Chesapeake Bay, and soundings in the dependencies of Mohjack Bay, Va. (See also Sections I and IX.)
	4	Hydrography	J. W. Donn, sub-assistant.....	Development of the vicinity of Bowler's Rock and Corner Rock in Rappahannock River.
	5	Hydrography	Acting Master Robert Platt, U. S. N., assistant; Gershom Bradford and J. B. Adamson, aids.	Soundings in Elizabeth River, Va., defining the dimensions of the "Merrimack" wreck, as an obstruction to the navigation. (See also Sections IV and VI.)
		Tidal observations.	E. F. Krebs.....	Observations continued with the self-registering tide-gauge at Old Point Comfort, Va.
SECTION IV. Coast of part of Virginia and coast of North Carolina.	1	Reconnaissance...	Richard D. Cutts, assistant; F. W. Perkins, aid.	Site selected for base-line and scheme of triangulation laid out for connecting stations near Cape Henry, Va., with the Bodie's Island base on the coast of North Carolina.

APPENDIX No. 1—Continued.

Limits of sections.	Parties.	Operations.	Persons conducting operations.	Localities of operations.
SECTION IV—Continued.	No. 2	Hydrography	Acting Master Robert Platt, U. S. N., assistant; Gershom Bradford, and J. B. Adamson, aids.	Hydrography extended southward of False Cape, along the coast of North Carolina. (See also Sections III and VI.)
	2	Triangulation	G. A. Fairfield, assistant; F. W. Perkins, aid.	Triangulation of Pamlico Sound, N. C., extended in the vicinity of the entrance to the Neuse River. (See also Section I.)
	3	Topography	F. W. Dorr, assistant; H. W. Bache, sub-assistant.	Detailed survey of the shores of Neuse River, N. C., completed by topography below Smith's Point and Cedar Point. (See also Section I.)
	4	Hydrography	J. S. Bradford, sub-assistant; F. D. Granger and George C. Schaefer, jr., aids.	Hydrography of the Neuse River completed by soundings at its junction with Pamlico Sound, N. C. (See also Section I.)
SECTION V. Coast of South Carolina and Georgia.	1	Primary triangulation.	C. O. Bontelle, assistant; Charles Ferguson, sub-assistant; J. N. McClintock, aid, (part of season.)	Extension of the primary triangulation of the coast of South Carolina to stations on the Savannah River. (See also Sections I and III.)
	2	Topography and hydrography.	Charles Hosmer, sub-assistant; J. N. McClintock, aid, (part of season.)	Detailed survey of Parry Island, S. C.; part of St. Helena Island, and others adjacent to Chowan and Beaufort Rivers; also of the neck between Beaufort River and Battery Creek. Hydrography of the vicinity of Jericho Creek. (See also Section I.)
	3	Topography	C. M. Bache, assistant; Eugene Ellicott, aid.	Topography of the lower part of Ossabaw Island at the entrance to St. Catharine's Sound, Ga., and detailed survey of the shores of St. Andrew's Sound. (See also Section II.)
	4	Topography	W. H. Dennis, assistant; J. G. Spaulding, aid.	Plane-table survey of the shores of Doboy Sound, Ga. (See also Section I.)
SECTION VI. Atlantic, and part of the Gulf coast of Florida, with the reefs and keys.	5	Hydrography	Charles Junken, sub-assistant; L. B. Wright and G. W. Bissell, aids.	Hydrographic survey including Doboy Sound, Ga., and its entrance, and the bar and approaches. (See also Section I.)
	1	Topography and hydrography.	C. T. Iardella, sub-assistant; H. L. Mariudin, aid.	Topography of the Florida Peninsula east of Cape Sable, and of the adjacent keys. Soundings in the same vicinity. (See also Section I.)
	2	Hydrography	Acting Master Robert Platt, U. S. N., assistant; Gershom Bradford and J. B. Adamson, aids.	Hydrography of the approaches to the Florida Reef. Determination of shoals in the vicinity of the Marquesas, and to the southward of Loggerhead Key. Deep-sea soundings for special purposes. (See also Sections III and IV.)
	3	.....	L. F. Pourtales, assistant; Henry Mitchell, assistant.	Deep-sea soundings and observation of ocean currents in the vicinity of Salt Key Bank, and across the Gulf Stream, and St. Nicholas and Santaren Channels. Investigations relative to the growth of coral.
SECTION VII. Gulf coast of Western Florida, and of part of Alabama.	1	Triangulation and topography.	S. C. McCorkle, assistant; H. M. De Wees, sub-assistant.	Triangulation completed and shore line survey made of St. Joseph's Bay, north of Cape San Blas, Fla. (See also Section I.)
	2	Triangulation and topography.	J. G. Oltmanns, assistant; F. H. Agnew, aid.	Azimuth determinations and linear measurement of the Gulf coast between Perdido Bay and Mobile Point, Ala. (See also Sections I and III.)
SECTION VIII. Gulf coast of part of Alabama, of Mississippi, and of part of Louisiana.	1	Triangulation and topography.	C. H. Boyd, sub-assistant; H. G. Ogden, aid.	Triangulation of Bird Island Sound, Grand Bay, and part of Isle au Breton Sound. Shore line survey of the east bank of the Mississippi River, and of lagoons in the same vicinity. (See also Section I.)
	2	Hydrography	F. P. Webber, assistant; Horace Anderson, sub-assistant; A. P. Barnard, aid.	Soundings completed in Garden Island Bay, in East Bay, and in West Bay, between the passes of the Mississippi. (See also Section I.)
	3	Longitude and latitude.	G. W. Dean, assistant; Edward Goodfellow, assistant; F. Blake, jr., aid; S. C. Chandler, jr., aid.	Astronomical observations and telegraphic exchanges at New Orleans for the longitude of Galveston. Determination of the latitude and longitude of Ship Shoal light-house off Last Island, La. (See also Section IX.)

APPENDIX No. 1—Continued.

Limits of sections.	Parties.	Operations.	Persons conducting operations.	Localities of operations.
SECTION IX.				
Coast of part of Louisiana and coast of Texas.	No. 1	Longitude, latitude, and magnetic observations.	G. W. Dean and Edward Goodfellow, assistants; F. Blake, jr., and S. C. Chandler, jr., aids.	Longitude of Galveston, Tex., determined by telegraphic exchanges. Latitude observations at Lavaca, Tex. Magnetic elements determined at both stations. (See also Section VIII.)
	2	Hydrography	R. E. Halter, sub-assistant; C. P. Dillaway and R. B. Palfrey, aids.	Soundings and observations on the currents at Galveston Entrance for the Engineer Department. Hydrography extended in Matagorda Bay and Lavaca, Tex. (See Section I.)
	3	Hydrography	F. F. Nes and W. W. Harding, sub-assistants; A. L. Roas, aid.	Hydrographic survey of Aransas Pass, Tex., and soundings continued in Corpus Christi Bay. (See also Sections I and II.)
SECTION X.				
Pacific coast of California.	1	Triangulation and topography.	W. E. Greenwell, assistant	Secondary triangulation of the coast of California from San Buenaventura toward Point Duma, and topography of the coast of Santa Barbara Channel from Santa Barbara toward San Buenaventura.
	2	Topography	Aug. F. Rodgers and Cleveland Rockwell, assistants; G. Farquhar, sub-assistant; A. W. Chase and L. A. Sengteller, aids.	Completion of the detailed plane-table survey of the peninsula near San Francisco for the Engineer Department, and resurvey of the western environs of the city of San Francisco, Cal. (See also Section XI.)
	3	.....	George Davidson, assistant	Compilation, for the use of navigators, of a general coast pilot for California, Oregon, and Washington Territory. (See also Section XII.)
SECTION XI.		Tidal observations.	Major G. H. Elliot, U. S. engineers; H. E. Uhrlandt; A. Cassidy.	Series of tidal observations continued, with self-registering gauges, at the permanent stations, San Diego and Fort Point, near San Francisco, Cal.
	1	Topography and hydrography.	A. W. Chase, sub-assistant; Stehman Forney, aid.	Plane-table reconnaissance and hydrography of Yaquina Bay, Oreg.; and sketches of the adjacent coast of the Pacific, northward to Cape Foulweather, and southward to Cape Perpetua. (See also Section X.)
	2	Hydrography	G. Farquhar, sub-assistant	Soundings to develop the channel of the Nehalem River, Oregon. (See also Section X.)
Coast of Oregon and coast of Washington Territory.	3	Topography	Cleveland Rockwell, assistant; L. A. Sengteller, aid.	Topographical survey of the south shore of the Columbia River, Oreg., from Point Adams upward to John Day's River, including Young's Bay and the vicinity of Astoria. (See also Section X.)
	4	Hydrography	Edward Cordell, assistant; G. Farquhar, sub-assistant; A. P. Redding, aid.	Hydrographic survey of the bar and of the lower part of the Columbia River, Oreg., for the use of the Engineer Department.
	5	Triangulation, topography, and hydrography.	James S. Lawson, assistant; J. J. Gilbert, aid.	Triangulation of the Strait of Fuca, in the vicinity of Protection Island, and near New Dungeness. Plane-table survey and hydrography of Port Madison, Admiralty Inlet, W. T.
SECTION XII.		Tidal observations.	Major G. H. Elliot, U. S. Engineers; L. Wilson.	Observations continued with the self-registering tide-gauge at Astoria, Oreg. (See also Section X.)
	.....	.....	George Davidson, assistant; A. T. Mosman, sub-assistant.	Computation from the records of triangulation and latitude observations made in the reconnaissance of the coast and harbors of Alaska; construction of charts and views; and compilation of a general coast pilot. (See also Section X.)

APPENDIX No. 2.

Information furnished from the Coast Survey Office, by tracings from original sheets, &c., in reply to special calls, during the year 1867-'68.

Date.	Names.	Data furnished.
1867.		
December 11	Brevet Maj. Gen. A. A. Humphreys, Chief Engineer United States Army.	Hydrography and topography of Point Sal and vicinity, Cal.
11	John de la Camp, civil engineer.....	Topography of Chincoteague Bay and vicinity, Md. and Va.
1868.		
January 20	E. L. Meyer, city surveyor, Elizabeth, N. J.....	Topography of west shore of Newark Bay, N. J.
27	S. T. Abert, civil engineer.....	Topography of part of Potomac River near Fort Washington.
February 4	Maj. and Brevet Col. Nicholas Bowen, United States Engineers.	Copy of survey off the Battery, New York Harbor.
12	Mayor of Savannah, Ga.....	Hydrography of city front.
18	Light-House Board.....	Topography of northeast shore of Staten Island, with adjacent hydrography.
25	C. B. Colt, esq.....	Topography of Highlands of Navesink and Sandy Hook, N. J.
March 17	Hon. F. A. Pike, Me.....	Topography of Calais, Me.
April 27	Brevet Maj. Gen. A. A. Humphreys, Chief Engineer, United States Army.	Topography head of Barnegat Bay and mouth of Metedeconk River, N. J.
28	M. L. Delafield, esq.....	Topography of Hunting Island, S. C.
May 11	Harbor commission, Mass.....	Topography of entrance to Ipswich Harbor, Mass.
23	John de la Camp, civil engineer.....	Topography of Assateague Island, Md. and Va.
27	Professor W. P. Trowbridge.....	Topography of northwest part of Long Island, from Hunter's Point to Flushing Bay, with Blackwell's Island.
July 3	Brig. Gen. W. E. Merrill, Corps of Engineers.....	Sketch of the Mississippi Delta, and part of the river.
10	Hudson Highland Suspension Bridge Company.....	Shore-line of Hudson River, from Buttermilk Falls to Canldwell's Landing.
August 7	Col. T. L. Casey, Corps of Engineers.....	Topography of Mount Desert Island, Me.
10	A. B. Conger, esq.....	Shore-line of the Hudson River, and hydrography, from Warren to Stony Point.
13	Brevet Brig. Gen. J. H. Simpson, Corps of Engineers.	Hydrography of part of Potomac River from Broad Creek to Little Hunting Creek.
13	R. H. Ives, esq.....	Heights on Prudence, Narraganset Bay, R. I.
September 7	Hon. Edmund Munson, England.....	Topography and hydrography of Duxbury Beach and vicinity.
October 1	Brevet Brig. Gen. J. J. Dana, United States Army...	Topography of Brazos Santiago and Boca Chica Entrances, Texas.
6	Brevet Brig. Gen. J. H. Simpson, Corps of Engineers.	Hydrography of part of Boston Inner Harbor.
20	Captain G. V. Fox.....	Map of Atlantic coast, from Great Bear's Head to Wood Island.
November 4	W. F. Bonzano, light-house engineer.....	Topography of head of passes, Mississippi River.
18	Light-House Board.....	Topography of Sand Islands, entrance to Mobile Bay.

APPENDIX No. 3.

DRAWING DIVISION.

Charts completed or in progress during the year ending November, 1868.

1. Hydrography. 2. Topography. 3. Drawing for photographic reduction. 4. Details on photographic outlines. 5. Verification. 6. Lettering. 7. Plotting hydrography.

Title of charts.	Scale.	Draughtsman.	Remarks.
General coast chart No. I, Quoddy Head to Cape Cod.....	1-400,000	1, 2. A. Lindenkohl.....	Additions.
General coast chart No. II, Cape Ann to Gay Head.....	1-400,000	2. A. Lindenkohl.....	Additions.
Winter Harbor, Me.....	1-20,000	1, 2. F. Fairfax. 2. H. Lindenkohl. 7. A. Balbach.	
St. George's River and Muscle Ridge Channel, Me.....	1-40,000	1. A. Lindenkohl.	
Tennant's Harbor, Me.....	1-10,000	1. A. Balbach. 1. W. B. McMurtrie.....	Completed.
Coast chart No. 5, White Head light to Seguin light.....	1-80,000	3. J. Hergesheimer. 4. H. Lindenkohl.	
Coast chart No. 6, Seguin light to Wood Island light.....	1-80,000	3. J. Hergesheimer. 3. L. Karcher.	
Bangor to Hampton, Me.....	1-2,000	2. W. Bawmann.....	Completed.
Sheepscot and Kennebec Rivers, Me.....	1-40,000	1. H. Lindenkohl.	Additions.
Bath to Booth Bay, Me.....	1-20,000	1. H. Lindenkohl.	
Casco Bay, Me.....	1-40,000	1. A. Lindenkohl.....	Hydrog'y; complet'd.
Portland Harbor, Me.....	1-20,000	1. L. Karcher.....	Additions.
Portsmouth Harbor, N. H.....	1-20,000	2. L. Karcher. 2. W. B. McMurtrie.....	Completed.
Coast chart No. 7, Seguin light to Cape Porpoise light.....	1-80,000	1. A. Lindenkohl.	
Boston Harbor, Mass.....	1-40,000	2. A. Lindenkohl.....	Additions.
Duxbury Bay, Mass.....		7. A. Balbach.....	Completed.
Coast chart No. 8, Boon Island light to Gloucester Harbor.....	1-80,000	1. A. Lindenkohl. 3. L. Karcher. 3. J. Hergesheimer. 4. F. Fairfax. 4. H. Lindenkohl.	
Atlantic coast No. I, Cape Sable to Sandy Hook.....	1-1,200,000	1. A. Lindenkohl.....	Additions.
Medomak River, Me.....		7. A. Balbach.....	Completed.
Coast chart No. 9, Boston Bay, Mass.....	1-80,000	2. H. Lindenkohl.	
Coast chart No. 10, Cape Cod Bay, Mass.....	1-80,000	3. L. Karcher. 4. H. Lindenkohl.	
Sea-coast chart No. 3, Small Point, Me., to Cape Cod, Mass.....	1-200,000	1. A. Lindenkohl.....	Additions.
Provincetown Harbor, Mass.....		7. A. Balbach.....	Completed.
Sippican Harbor, Mass.....	1-20,000	2. H. Lindenkohl.....	Completed.
Coast chart No. 13, Narragansett Bay, R. I.....	1-80,000	1. A. Lindenkohl. 3. L. Karcher. 3. J. Hergesheimer. 4. H. Lindenkohl.	
Warren River, R. I., (preliminary edition).....	1-10,000	1. L. Karcher. 2. F. Fairfax.....	Completed.
Coast chart No. 20, New York Bay and Harbor.....	1-80,000	1. H. Lindenkohl. 2. H. Lindenkohl.....	Additions.
Hudson River No. 1, New York to Haverstraw.....	1-60,000	2. H. Lindenkohl.....	Additions.
New York lower bay.....	1-40,000	2. H. Lindenkohl.....	
Coast chart No. 23, Absecon to Cape May.....	1-80,000	2. H. Lindenkohl.....	
Delaware breakwater, sketch of.....	1-40,000	1. A. Balbach. 2. A. Balbach.....	Completed.
Coast chart No. 27, Cape May to Isle of Wight Shoal.....	1-80,000	1. H. Lindenkohl.....	Completed.
General coast chart No. IV, Cape May to Cape Henry.....	1-400,000	2. H. Lindenkohl.....	Additions.
Coast chart No. 33, Chesapeake Bay, from Pocomoke Sound to Potomac River.....	1-80,000	2. H. Lindenkohl.....	Additions.
Coast chart No. 34, Chesapeake Bay, from Potomac River to Choptank River.....	1-80,000	2. H. Lindenkohl.....	Additions.
Hampton Roads and Elizabeth River.....	1-40,000	1. L. Karcher.....	Additions.
General coast chart No. V, Cape Henry to Cape Lookout.....	1-400,000	1. A. Lindenkohl. 2. A. Lindenkohl.....	Additions.
Neuse River, N. C.....		7. A. Balbach.....	Completed.
Atlantic coast No. III, Cape Hatteras to Mosquito Inlet.....	1-1,200,000	1. A. Lindenkohl.....	Additions.
General coast chart No. VII, Cape Roman to St. Mary's River.....	1-400,000	2. H. Lindenkohl.....	Additions.
Coast chart No. 54, Long Island to St. Helena Sound, including Charleston Harbor.....	1-80,000	2. H. Lindenkohl. 3. J. Hergesheimer.	
Coast chart No. 55, Hunting Island to Ossabaw Sound, including Savannah River.....	1-80,000	1. A. Lindenkohl. 3. J. Hergesheimer. 4. H. Lindenkohl. 4. F. Fairfax.	
Charleston Harbor, S. C.....	1-30,000	2. A. Lindenkohl.....	Additions.
Savannah River and Wassaw Sound, Ga.....	1-40,000	6. F. Fairfax.....	Completed.
Coast chart No. 56, Savannah River to Doboy Sound.....	1-80,000	2. H. Lindenkohl. 5. L. Karcher.	
Savannah River.....	1-40,000	1. L. Karcher.....	Additions.
St. Helena Sound, S. C.....	1-40,000	2. F. Fairfax.....	Additions.
St. Catherine's Sound, Ga.....	1-40,000	1. L. Karcher. 2. F. Fairfax.	
Straits of Florida, (diagram).....		1. H. Lindenkohl.....	Completed.
General coast chart No. X, straits of Florida.....	1-400,000	2. H. Lindenkohl.....	Additions.
General coast chart No. XIII, Cape San Blas to Mississippi Delta.....	1-400,000	2. H. Lindenkohl. 2. A. Lindenkohl.....	Additions.

APPENDIX No. 3—Continued.

Title of charts.	Scale.	Draughtsmen.	Remarks.
Coast chart No. 94, Mississippi Delta.....	1-80,000	2. H. Lindenkohl.	
General coast chart No. XVI, Galveston to the Rio Grande.	1-400,000	2. H. Lindenkohl.....	Additions.
Galveston Entrance, Tex.....	1-40,000	1. L. Karcher. 2. F. Fairfax.	
Galveston Harbor, Tex.....		7. A. Balbach.....	Completed.
West Galveston Bay, Tex.....		7. A. Balbach.....	Completed.
Brazos Santiago, Tex.....	1-20,000	1. H. Lindenkohl. 2. H. Lindenkohl.....	Completed.
Reconnaissance of western coast, from San Diego to San Francisco, Cal.	1-1,200,000	1. A. Lindenkohl. 2. A. Lindenkohl. 2. H. Lindenkohl.	Additions.
Point Sal, Cal.....	1-20,000	1. H. Lindenkohl. 2. H. Lindenkohl.....	Completed.
San Francisco Entrance.....	1-50,000	2. H. Lindenkohl.....	Additions.
City of San Francisco.....	1-10,000	5. W. B. McMurtrie.....	Additions.
Suisun Bay, Cal.....	1-40,000	1. A. Lindenkohl.	
Reconnaissance of western coast from San Francisco to Umpquah River.	1-1,200,000	1. A. Lindenkohl. 2. A. Lindenkohl. 2. H. Lindenkohl.	Additions.
Reconnaissance of western coast from Umpquah River to northwest boundary.	1-1,200,000	1. A. Lindenkohl. 2. A. Lindenkohl. 2. H. Lindenkohl.	Additions.
Shilshole Bay, W. T.....	1-20,000	1. L. Karcher. 2. F. Fairfax.....	Completed.
Tillamook Bay, Oreg.....	1-20,000	1. L. Karcher.....	Completed.
Washington Sound, W. T., (new edition).....	1-200,000	2. A. Lindenkohl.....	Completed.
Alaska Territory, (new edition).....		2. A. Lindenkohl.	
Diagrams.....		A. Lindenkohl, L. Karcher, H. Lindenkohl.	

APPENDIX No. 4.

ENGRAVING DIVISION.

Plates completed, continued, or commenced during the year.

1. Outlines. 2. Topography. 3. Sanding. 4. Lettering.

Titles of plates.	Scale.	Engravers.
COMPLETED.		
Portsmouth Harbor	1-20,000	2. J. C. Kondrup.
Sippican Harbor	1-20,000	1, 2. W. A. Thompson. 4. J. G. Thompson.
Cove Sound	1-40,000	1, 3. E. H. Sipe. 4. A. Buckle.
Charleston Harbor	1-30,000	1, 2. R. F. Bartle. 3. H. S. Barnard. 4. A. Petersen.
Section of Gulf Stream, Key West to Havana		1, 4. E. H. Sipe.
Section of Gulf Stream off Chorrera		1, 4. E. H. Sipe.
Charlotte Harbor	1-40,000	2, 4. J. G. Thompson.
San Francisco Bay, (upper)	1-50,000	3. W. A. Thompson.
Koos Bay	1-40,000	2, 3. W. A. Thompson.
CONTINUED.		
General coast chart No. II.	1-400,000	1, 2. A. M. Maedel.
General coast chart No. IV.	1-400,000	3. H. S. Barnard. 4. E. A. Maedel.
General coast chart No. V.	1-400,000	3. H. S. Barnard. 4. E. A. Maedel.
General coast chart No. XIII.	1-400,000	1, 2. A. M. Maedel.
Coast chart No. 5, Whitehead Light to Seguin Island	1-80,000	1, 2. H. C. Evans. 4. J. Knight.
Coast chart No. 6, Seguin Island to Fletcher's Neck	1-80,000	1, 2. H. C. Evans. 4. J. Knight.
Coast chart No. 7, Seguin Island to Kennebunkport	1-80,000	4. J. Knight and E. A. Maedel.
Coast chart No. 8, Cape Neddick to Cape Ann	1-80,000	1, 2. A. Sengteller. 4. J. Knight.
Coast chart No. 9, Boston Bay	1-80,000	2. J. Enthoffer and J. C. Kondrup. 4. E. A. Maedel.
Coast chart No. 10, Cape Cod Bay	1-80,000	1, 2. H. C. Evans.
Coast chart No. 13, Buzzard's Bay to Block Island	1-80,000	1. A. Rolle. 2. H. C. Evans.
Coast chart No. 27, Cape May to Isle of Wight	1-80,000	3. H. S. Barnard. 4. J. Knight.
Coast chart No. 28, Isle of Wight to Chincoteague	1-80,000	4. E. A. Maedel.
Coast chart No. 30, Chesapeake Entrance	1-80,000	4. J. Knight.
Coast chart No. 54, Long Island to Hunting Island	1-80,000	3. H. S. Barnard. 4. E. A. Maedel.
Coast chart No. 55, Hunting Island to Ossabaw	1-80,000	1, 2. A. Sengteller. 4. E. A. Maedel.
Coast chart No. 67, Elbow to Lower Matecumbe	1-80,000	3. H. S. Barnard.
Coast chart No. 79, Cedar Keys, &c.	1-80,000	1, 2. A. Sengteller.
Eastport Harbor	1-40,000	3. F. W. Benner. 4. E. A. Maedel.
St. George's River and Muscle Ridge Channel	1-40,000	3. F. W. Benner. 4. A. Petersen.
Damariscotta River, &c.	1-40,000	1. R. F. Bartle and E. Molkow.
Kennebec and Sheepscot Rivers	1-40,000	3. W. A. Thompson. 4. E. A. Maedel and A. Petersen.
Casco Bay	1-40,000	1. R. F. Bartle. 4. A. Petersen.
Boston Harbor	1-40,000	1, 2. A. Rolle and J. C. Kondrup. 4. H. S. Barnard.
New York Bay and Harbor, (upper)	1-40,000	1. R. F. Bartle and E. Molkow.
New York Bay and Harbor, (lower)	1-40,000	4. E. A. Maedel.
Hampton Roads and Elizabeth River	1-40,000	1, 4. E. H. Sipe. 3. F. W. Benner.
St. Helena Sound	1-40,000	2. J. C. Kondrup.
Caloosa Entrance	1-40,000	1. R. F. Bartle. 2. J. C. Kondrup. 3. F. W. Benner. 4. J. G. Thompson.
Half Moon Bay	1-20,000	2. W. A. Thompson.
Washington Sound	1-200,000	2. A. M. Maedel. 3. W. A. Thompson. 4. A. Petersen.
Progress sketches for annual report		W. A. Thompson, J. G. Thompson, and E. H. Sipe.
COMMENCED.		
Northwest coast No. 1	1-1,200,000	1. R. F. Bartle.
General coast chart No. I	1-400,000	1, 2. J. Enthoffer. 4. E. A. Maedel.
General coast chart No. VII	1-400,000	1, 2. A. M. Maedel. 4. E. A. Maedel.
General coast chart No. XVI.	1-400,000	1. A. M. Maedel.
Coast chart No. 94, Mississippi River Entrance	1-80,000	1. A. Rolle.
Winter Harbor	1-20,000	1, 2. W. A. Thompson. 3. F. W. Benner. 4. J. G. Thompson and A. Buckle.
Inside Passage Bath to Booth Bay	1-20,000	1. R. F. Bartle. 3. W. A. Thompson. 4. E. A. Maedel and J. G. Thompson.
Warren River	1-10,000	1. E. H. Sipe. 3. E. H. Sipe and F. W. Benner. 4. J. G. Thompson and E. H. Sipe.
Narragansett Bay, (upper)	1-40,000	1. E. Molkow.
Savannah River and Wassaw Sound	1-40,000	1, 4. A. Petersen. 3. H. S. Barnard and A. Petersen.
Suisun Bay	1-40,000	1. W. A. Thompson. 3. W. A. Thompson and F. W. Benner. 4. A. Petersen and J. G. Thompson.
Point Sal	1-20,000	1, 2. W. A. Thompson. 4. J. G. Thompson.
Shilshole Bay	1-20,000	1, 2. W. A. Thompson. 3. F. W. Benner. 4. J. G. Thompson.
Tillamook Bay	1-20,000	1, 2. F. W. Benner. 4. E. H. Sipe.

APPENDIX No. 5.

DISCUSSION OF TIDES IN BOSTON HARBOR.

CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS, *May 2, 1870.*

DEAR SIR: I have the honor to submit the following report of a discussion of the Boston dry-dock tide observations. On account of the completeness of the set of observations and the importance of the tide-station, as representing a peculiar, and, in relation to the tidal theory, a very interesting, type of tides, extending along the whole coast of New England, it has been thought advisable to give all the labor to the discussion necessary to obtain the most accurate results, and also to give a somewhat full report of them. Some applications of the results have also been made to theory, and practical formulæ and tables constructed for the prediction of the tides.

THE OBSERVATIONS AND LOCALITY.

1. The series of observations used in this discussion embrace a period of nineteen years, commencing with the 1st of July, 1847, and extending to the 1st of July, 1866. The series is very nearly complete, the observations of the times and heights of both high and low water having been made with great regularity both day and night, and for every day of the week; so that it rarely happened that even a single observation was lost. Only on two occasions were there any interruptions of any consequence in the whole series. During the latter part of May, and the first part of June, 1854, one week's observations were lost, owing to the observer's being on duty to check the mob at the time of the Burns trial. The observations of ten days, also, of the latter part of January, 1865, were lost on account of the illness of the observer.

The first part of the series of observations was made with a tide-gauge consisting of marks designated by copper figures set in the stone wall at the entrance to the dry-dock. The observer commenced usually about a half hour before each high and low water and noted the readings every five minutes until the stand, then the duration of the stand, and then again he noted the readings every five minutes until he felt sure the tide had changed. In 1860 a box-gauge was substituted, which was used until the series was closed, on the 30th of September, 1866, the full series having been commenced in June and continued about nineteen years and four months.

The observations seem to have been accurately made, so far as can be judged from the grouping of them in the discussion; but this is rather an uncertain criterion, since numerous astronomical inequalities, and also meteorological irregularities, necessarily cause a considerable range in the observations of each group. The most accurate test of the faithfulness of the observer is found in the slight irregularities caused by the diurnal tide. These irregularities in both the heights and times of the tide at the Boston dry-dock are quite small, and only sensible to ordinary inspection of the observations at certain periods; yet these irregularities can generally be readily distinguished in the recorded observations, amid all the other numerous irregularities, at such times as theory indicates that they should be most easily seen. It is not probable that the observer knew either the periods of these irregularities, or their character, and hence their occurring in the record must have resulted from a careful observation of the tides.

This discussion has not been made from the original records of the observer, but from what are called the first reductions of the tide observations, in which are given the apparent times of the moon's meridian transit, and the apparent times and absolute heights of high and low water, and the lunital intervals, as obtained from the observer's record. These reductions, so far as I had any means of testing them, seem to have been carefully and accurately made.

2. On account of the shallowness of the greater part of the harbor, and even of the bay for many miles beyond, and the interruptions of numerous islands, and the narrowness of the channel leading to the Boston dry-dock, the tide-station must be regarded as a somewhat inland one, and some of the characteristics of river-stations should be found in the observed tide. It is seen, from consulting the Coast Survey chart of the bay and harbor, that the average depth of the channel in

the harbor for ten miles ranges mostly from five to ten fathoms, and beyond that in the open bay for many miles there is only a very gradual increase of the depth of the sea. The vast expanse, also, of comparatively shallow ocean over the Banks of Newfoundland, over which the greater part of the tide originating in the deeper ocean has to travel, no doubt affects the character of the tides. In any casual considerations of the character of the tides and of the results of this discussion, these general circumstances of the tide-station should be considered, but in any critical study of them, of course, the charts of the Coast Survey should be consulted, in which all the minute circumstances are accurately laid down.

EXPRESSIONS OF THE DISTURBING FORCES.

3. In the discussion of tide observations it is necessary to have some form of expression of the disturbing forces, and to know something of the tidal expressions corresponding with them. Theory must furnish the arguments to be used in any discussion, but different forms of expression give different arguments. In the complete solution of the tidal problem it is necessary to have a development of the disturbing forces into a series of terms containing angles, which increase in proportion to the time, and the corresponding tidal expression has then a similar form; but very accurate approximate tidal expressions may be obtained in which the expressions contain circular arguments, but in which the angles do not increase exactly in proportion to the time. Such expressions may be obtained which contain a much smaller number of sensible terms than in the case in which the development is required to contain only terms with angles increasing exactly in proportion to the time; and the arguments in the expression, still being circular arguments, are much preferable to parallax and declination arguments, since all the observations, within certain equal limits of the argument, have nearly the same number of observations; and the results obtained from a discussion of the observations in this way are of much more importance in any theoretical study and investigation of the tides, since the constant coefficients and the angles of epoch show the relations between each term in the tidal expression and the corresponding term in the disturbing force.

4. Since the forms of expression of the disturbing forces used in this discussion, and likewise the notation, are for the most part entirely different from those contained in any treatise on the tides to which reference could be made, it is necessary to give them here.

If we put

- \mathcal{Q} = the potential of the moon's disturbing force;
- μ = its mass;
- r = its distance from the center of the earth;
- ψ = its right ascension;
- v = its declination;
- ϖ = the terrestrial longitude of any place;
- θ = its polar distance;
- $n t$ = the earth's rotatory motion;

we have, from the development of \mathcal{Q} ,

$$(1) \quad \mathcal{Q} = \sum N_s \cos s (n t + \varpi - \psi)$$

in which

$$(2) \quad \begin{cases} N_0 = \frac{\mu}{4 r^3} (1 - 3 \cos^2 \theta) (1 - 3 \sin^2 v) \\ N_1 = \frac{3 \mu}{4 r^3} \sin 2 \theta \sin 2 v \\ N_2 = \frac{3 \mu}{4 r^3} \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 v \\ N_3 = \frac{3 \mu}{8 r^3} \sin^3 \theta \cos^3 v \end{cases}$$

There is also a small term depending upon the fourth power of the moon's distance, which produces a sensible effect, of the form

$$(3) \quad N = \frac{15 \mu}{4 r^4} \cos \theta \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 v \sin v$$

5. If we likewise put

$\Omega' =$ the potential of the sun's disturbing force,

and let μ' , r' , ψ' , and v' denote the same with regard to the sun, which the same letters without an accent do with regard to the moon, we shall have

$$(4) \quad \Omega' = \Sigma_s N'_s \cos s (nt + \varpi - \psi')$$

in which the expressions of N'_s are the same as those of N_s with μ , r , ψ , and v accented.

In the preceding expressions the origin of t must be such as to make the angle $nt + \varpi - \psi$ or $nt + \varpi - \psi'$ equal to $i\pi$, that is, some multiple of π , when the moon or sun is on the meridian of the place with regard to which the force is considered. The values of s may be 0, 1, 2, &c., but there are no terms producing sensible effects in which s is greater than 3.

6. In the comparison of tides with the forces producing them, it is necessary to either analyze the result and tide of the moon and sun in each port into its component parts, or to have the resultant of the component forces of the moon and sun with which to compare them. The latter is preferable in tidal discussions and investigations, since the developed expressions of the resultant of the forces of the moon and sun being obtained, and all the constants accurately determined, these expressions, depending mostly upon celestial circumstances, serve, with a very few convenient modifications, for every port; whereas if the former method is adopted, a troublesome analysis, and a determination of the constants belonging to each component of the tide, must be made for each port.

By combining the preceding components, we get

$$(5) \quad \Omega + \Omega' = \Sigma_s \sqrt{N_s^2 + N'^2 + 2 N_s N'_s \cos s (\psi - \psi')} \cos s (nt + \varpi - \psi + \beta_s)$$

in which

$$(6) \quad \tan s \beta_s = \frac{N'_s \sin s (\psi - \psi')}{N_s + N'_s \cos s (\psi - \psi')}$$

7. If we put

$\Omega_s =$ the part of the preceding expression belonging to s ,

its development may be expressed in the following form:

$$(7) \quad \Omega_s = C_s \Sigma_i P_i \cos \eta_i \cos s (nt + \varpi - \psi + \beta_s)$$

in which the angles η_i and $nt + \varpi - \psi + \beta_s$ do not increase exactly in proportion to the time on account of the variable motions of the moon and sun in their orbits, and the obliquity of the ecliptic. The latter angle also varies with the changing value of β_s which expresses the angle in right ascension between the moon and the position of a disturbing body which would represent the resultant of that part of the forces of the moon and sun belonging to the characteristic s . In the preceding expression C_s is the constant or average value of the coefficient of $\cos s (nt + \varpi - \psi + \beta_s)$, and is independent of any of the inequalities. Its value depends upon terrestrial circumstances, and consequently is different in different ports. The constants P_i and the angles η_i depend upon celestial circumstances only, and consequently are the same for every port. The constants P_i are different for different values of s , and should be denoted by $P_{(s,i)}$ when it is necessary to distinguish them. P_0 is the constant of integration and is equal to unity.

8. We shall now give the angles and the numerical values of the constants, and also the mean values of the first derivatives of the angles in terms of the radius, belonging to the principal terms in the preceding expression of Ω_s for each value of s . In the expressions of the angles the following notation is used:

- $v =$ the moon's mean anomaly;
- $v' =$ that of the sun;
- $\varphi =$ the moon's longitude;
- $\varphi' =$ that of the sun;
- $\omega =$ the longitude of the moon's ascending node.

From the notation (§§ 4 and 5) we also have

$\psi - \psi' =$ the difference in right ascension between the moon and sun, usually expressed by the apparent time of moon's transit.

We shall also put, for the mean values of r and r' ,

$$(8) \quad \begin{cases} Z = \frac{3\mu}{4r^3} \\ Z' = \frac{3\mu'}{4r'^3} \\ e = \frac{Z'}{Z} \end{cases}$$

If we put, in terms of the earth's mass,

$$(9) \quad \mu = .013 + \delta\mu$$

in which $\delta\mu$ is the correction of the assumed mass of the moon, we shall have

$$(10) \quad e = .4380 - 33.8 \delta\mu$$

9. With the preceding constants and notation, when $s=0$, (7) gives

$$(11) \quad \mathcal{Q}_0 = C_0 \sum P_i \cos \eta_i$$

in which, omitting the correction of the moon's mass,

$$(12) \quad \begin{cases} C_0 = .254 (1 - 3 \cos^2 \theta)(1+e) Z \\ P_2 = .114, & \eta_2 = v \\ P_3 = .217, & \eta_3 = 2\varphi \\ P_4 = .016, & \eta_4 = v' \\ P_5 = .095, & \eta_5 = 2\varphi' \\ P_6 = -.025, & \eta_6 = \omega \end{cases}$$

The term belonging to $i=1$, in this case, is wanting.

10. When $s=1$, the development of the resultant of the moon and sun in the general form of (7) is not sufficiently convergent for practical purposes, and therefore expressions must be obtained for the moon and sun separately in this case. The only terms, in the case of the moon, which we shall have occasion to use in this discussion, may be most conveniently expressed in the following form, β vanishing in this case:

$$(13) \quad \mathcal{Q}_1 = C_1 \sin \varphi \cos (nt + \omega - \psi)$$

in which

$$(14) \quad C_1 = .731 \sin 2\theta Z$$

In the case of the sun we shall likewise have

$$(15) \quad \mathcal{Q}'_1 = C'_1 \sin \varphi' \cos (nt + \omega - \psi')$$

in which

$$(16) \quad C'_1 = .731 e \sin 2\theta Z$$

11. When $s=2$, (7) gives

$$(17) \quad \mathcal{Q}_2 = C_2 \sum P_i \cos \eta_i \cos 2(nt + \omega - \psi + \beta_2)$$

in which

$$(18) \quad \begin{cases} C_2 = .9564 \sqrt{1+e^2} \sin^2 \theta Z \\ P_1 = .4305 - 24.0 \delta\mu, & \eta_1 = 2(\psi - \psi'), & D_t \eta_1 = .426 \\ P_2 = .1521 + 3.6 \delta\mu, & \eta_2 = v, & D_t \eta_2 = .229 \\ P_3 = .0985 + 1.0 \delta\mu, & \eta_3 = 2\varphi, & D_t \eta_3 = .460 \\ P_4 = .0093 - 1.0 \delta\mu, & \eta_4 = v', & \\ P_5 = .0053 - 1.0 \delta\mu, & \eta_5 = 2\varphi', & \\ P_6 = -.0375, & \eta_6 = \omega, & \\ P_7 = .0375, & \eta_7 = 2\varphi - \omega, & D_t \eta_7 = .462 \\ P_8 = .0085, & \eta_8 = \eta_1 + \eta_2, & D_t \eta_8 = .655 \\ P_9 = .0085, & \eta_9 = \eta_1 - \eta_2, & D_t \eta_9 = .197 \\ P_{10} = -.0470 + 4.7 \delta\mu, & \eta_{10} = 2\eta_1, & D_t \eta_{10} = .852 \end{cases}$$

The unit of time in the preceding derivatives is one solar day.

12. When $s=3$, (7) gives only one term producing any sensible effect upon the tides, which may be expressed by

$$(19) \quad \mathcal{Q}_3 = C_3 \cos 3(nt + \omega - \psi).$$

in which

$$(20) \quad C_3 = .0146 \sin^3 \theta Z$$

13. Putting

$$(21) \quad i = 2 D_t (n t - \psi + \beta_2)$$

it is necessary, in the various tidal expressions, to know the principal constants in the following expressions:

$$(22) \quad i = \sum U_i \cos \eta_i, \text{ and } \frac{2\beta_2}{i} = \sum Q_i \sin \eta_i$$

The principal of these are

$$(23) \quad \begin{cases} U_0 = 12.142, \\ U_1 = .1742 - 13.2 \delta \mu, & Q_1 = 52^m.5 - .4034 \delta \mu \\ U_2 = -.0500, \\ U_3 = .0477 - 0.5 \delta \mu, & Q_3 = 2^m.2 - 148 \delta \mu \end{cases}$$

The other values of U_i and Q_i are small, and, their effects being generally insensible, they are omitted here.

TIDAL EXPRESSIONS.

14. If we put

Y = the height of the tide at any time above mean level;

L = the lunitidal interval in solar time;

$\rho = n t + \varpi - \psi + \beta$;

τ_1 = the time the maximum of any inequalities in the tides follows the maximum of the corresponding inequality of the disturbing force,

theory gives the following tidal expressions corresponding with the general expression (7) of the potential of the disturbing force:

$$(24) \quad Y_s = K_s \sum R_i \cos (\eta_i - a_i) \cos (s \rho - l) = A_s \cos (s \rho - l)$$

in which

$$(25) \quad \begin{cases} (1+F) R_i = P_i - E U_i \\ a_i = (\tau - B_0) D_t \eta_i \end{cases}$$

and

$$(26) \quad L_s = \sum B_i \sin (\eta_i - \epsilon_i)$$

in which

$$(27) \quad \begin{cases} B_i = \sqrt{M_i^2 + N_i^2} \\ \tan (\epsilon_i - a_i) = -\frac{N_i}{M_i} \\ M_i = -Q_i + \frac{1.035}{s} E P_i D_t \eta_i - \frac{0.164}{s} R_i D_t \eta_i \\ N_i = F' R_i \end{cases}$$

The value of B_0 is the *mean establishment of the port* belonging to the assumed transit.

15. Of the constants in these expressions, $E = D_i K$ expresses the ratio between any change in i , the velocity with which the phase of the tide changes, and the corresponding change in the coefficient of the tide, and consequently the terms depending upon E show the effect of any change in the period of oscillation from the mean period. The constant F depends upon that part of friction in the theory which is supposed to affect the tides in a greater ratio than the first power of the velocity, and consequently affects the large tides more in proportion than the small ones, and, neglecting terms of a third order in the developments, affects the inequalities of the tides in a constant ratio. The terms depending upon F' express the corresponding effect upon the lunitidal intervals. All the constants in the preceding expressions have different values for different values of s , and they should be written $R_{(s, i)}$, $a_{(s, i)}$, &c., when it is necessary to distinguish them.

16. From the second of (25) we get

$$(28) \quad \tau_1 = B_0 + \frac{a_1}{D_t \eta_1}$$

The value of τ given by this expression has been called the *age of the tide from the heights*.

If we likewise put

$$(28') \quad \tau'_1 = B_0 + \frac{\epsilon_1}{D_t \eta_1}$$

the value of τ'_1 in this expression has been called the *age of the tide from the times*.

The values of τ and τ' cannot be the same unless $\alpha_1 = \epsilon_1$, which can only be the case when F' in (27) is equal 0. Hence, the difference depends on friction.

17. In the equilibrium theory all terms depending upon $U_{(i)} D_i \gamma$ and upon friction vanish, and (24) gives

$$(29) \quad Y_s = K_s \sum_i P_i \cos \gamma_i$$

in which, in the case of an ocean covering the whole earth with a fluid of insensible density, putting g for gravity,

$$K_s = \frac{C_s}{g}$$

In the case of nature the true values of K_s differ a little from these, but these may be regarded as very near approximate values. With the values of C_s , (12), (14), (18), (20), and with the value of

$$(30) \quad \frac{Z}{g} = (.9224 + 71.1 \delta \mu) \text{ ft.},$$

we get for the port of Boston, where $\theta = 47^\circ 40'$, by neglecting the correction of the moon's mass,

$$(31) \quad K_0 = -0.117 \text{ ft.}, K_1 = 0.711 \text{ ft.}, K_2 = 0.528 \text{ ft.}, K_3 = 0.006 \text{ ft.}$$

This value of K_0 is the mean or constant amount by which the mean level of the ocean is elevated by the moon and sun above the level which the water would assume in the case of no disturbing force. This value of K_0 may be also used in the hydrodynamic theory, since, when $s=0$, the oscillations depend upon the angles γ_i in the expressions of Y_s , that is, upon the parallax and declination of the moon and sun, and hence are oscillations of long period compared with the diurnal and semi-diurnal oscillations. They are called by Laplace *oscillations of the first kind*.

18. When $s=1$, (24) gives as the tidal expressions corresponding to (13) and (15)

$$(32) \quad \begin{cases} Y_1 = K_1 \sin(\varphi - \alpha) \cos(\rho - l_1) \\ Y'_1 = K'_1 \sin(\varphi' - \alpha') \cos(\rho' - l'_1) \end{cases}$$

in which

$$\rho' = n t + \varpi - \psi'$$

In this case we do not know the relation between C_1 and K_1 , and consequently K_1 can only be determined from observation. In this case the period of the oscillations is one day, and the oscillations are called by Laplace *oscillations of the second kind*.

19. When $s=2$, (24) gives as the tidal expression corresponding with (17)

$$(33) \quad Y_2 = K_2 \sum_i R_i \cos(\gamma_i - \alpha_i) \cos(2\rho - l_2) = A_2 \cos(2\rho - l_2)$$

In this case the mean period of the oscillations is half of a mean lunar day, giving rise to the semi-diurnal tides. These Laplace calls *oscillations of the third kind*. The expression of L_2 in this case is derived from (26) and (27), putting $s=2$, and using the values of P_i , $D_i \gamma_i$, U_i , and Q_i in (18) and (23).

20. If we change the assumed transit from which L_2 is reckoned n transits forward, then the constant B_0 is diminished n times $12^h 25^m.24$, and the whole of the corresponding change k in the expression of L_2 is

$$(34) \quad k = -n (12^h 25^m.24 + 0^m.4 \cos \gamma_1 + 3^m.0 \cos \gamma_2 - 2^m.3 \cos \gamma_3 \dots)$$

This expression is only approximate when a change of several transits is made.

21. When $s=3$, the tidal expression corresponding with (19) is

$$(35) \quad Y_3 = K_3 \cos(3\rho - l_3)$$

in which K_3 must be determined from observation. In this case the period of the oscillations is one-third of a day, and, in accordance with Laplace's method of designating them, they may be called *oscillations of the fourth kind*.

There may be local circumstances, such as the shallowness of the harbor or river, producing quarter-day tides, but these do not depend upon any sensible term in the disturbing force.

The tidal expression of the small term in the moon's disturbing force depending upon the fourth power of the distance (3), since $\sin v = \sin \epsilon \sin \varphi$, neglecting the inequality of the node, is of the form

$$(36) \quad Y'' = K'' \sin(\varphi - \alpha'')$$

22. The preceding are the tidal expressions belonging to the different kinds of oscillation taken separately; but for a comparison of observations with theory, and also for the purpose of prediction formulæ, it is necessary to have expressions of the height of the tide and of the lunital intervals belonging to the resultant of all the oscillations. If we put

H_0 = the height of the mean level of the sea above any assumed zero plane, in the case of no disturbing force,

then the expression of the height of high water at any time is $H_0 + \sum Y_n$. If we put

H_n = the absolute height of the tide at the n th high or low water, $n=1$ belonging to the high water depending upon the upper transit;

λ_n = the corresponding lunital interval;

and also put

$$(37) \quad \begin{cases} \lambda_n = L_2 + q_n \\ \Delta = L_2 - L_1 \\ \Delta' = L_2 - L_3 \end{cases}$$

we get, by combining the oscillations,

$$(38) \quad \begin{cases} H_n = H_0 + A_0 + A_1 \cos \Delta \cos q_n - A_1 \sin \Delta \sin q_n + A_2 \cos 2 q_n \\ \quad + A_3 \cos 3 \Delta' \cos 3 q_n - A_3 \sin 3 \Delta' \sin 3 q_n \end{cases}$$

in which q_n must satisfy the conditions

$$(39) \quad \begin{cases} 0 = A_1 \cos \Delta \sin q_n + A_1 \sin \Delta \cos q_n + 4 A_2 \sin q_n \cos q_n \\ \quad + 3 A_3 \cos 3 \Delta' \sin 3 q_n + 3 A_3 \sin 3 \Delta' \cos 3 q_n \end{cases}$$

In general, there are four values of q_n which satisfy these conditions, two belonging to high waters and two to low waters. When A_1 , however, is very large, there are only two values which satisfy them, and then there is only one high and one low water in a day.

The value of A_3 is always small, and when A_1 is also small, as it is at all ports in the North Atlantic, the value of q at high waters is so small that we can put $\cos q = 1$, and at low waters so nearly equal to $\frac{1}{2} \pi$ that we can put $\sin q = 1$. The preceding conditions then give

$$(40) \quad \begin{cases} H_1 = H_0 + A_0 + A_1 \cos \Delta - A_1 \sin \Delta \sin q_1 + A_2 + A_3 \cos 3 \Delta' - A_3 \sin 3 \Delta' \sin 3 q_1 \\ H_2 = H_0 + A_0 + A_1 \cos \Delta \cos q_2 - A_1 \sin \Delta - A_2 + A_3 \cos 3 \Delta' \cos 3 q_2 + A_3 \sin 3 \Delta' \\ H_3 = H_0 + A_0 - A_1 \cos \Delta - A_1 \sin \Delta \sin q_3 + A_2 - A_3 \cos 3 \Delta' - A_3 \sin 3 \Delta' \sin 3 q_3 \\ H_4 = H_0 + A_0 + A_1 \cos \Delta \cos q_4 + A_1 \sin \Delta - A_2 + A_3 \cos 3 \Delta' \cos 3 q_4 - A_3 \sin 3 \Delta' \end{cases}$$

They also give

$$(41) \quad \begin{cases} \sin q = -\frac{A_1 \sin \Delta + 3 A_3 \sin 3 \Delta'}{4 A_2 + A_1 \cos \Delta + 9 A_3 \cos 3 \Delta'} \text{ at high waters, and} \\ \cos q = -\frac{A_1 \cos \Delta + 3 A_3 \cos 3 \Delta'}{4 A_2 + A_1 \sin \Delta + 9 A_3 \sin 3 \Delta'} \text{ at low waters.} \end{cases}$$

When all the necessary constants are determined, the preceding equations (40) and (41) give H_n and q_n , and then when L_2 is determined, (37) gives λ_n , L_1 , and L_3 .

All the preceding expressions are taken from the manuscript of a forthcoming paper on the theory of the tides, in which they are more fully explained, but it would be impossible to give a complete and detailed explanation of them here. Few of them, however, depend upon any peculiar theory, and most of them can be verified by any one.

THE OBJECT AND PLAN OF THE DISCUSSION.

23. The object of the following discussion is, first, to obtain directly from observation the constants of all the principal terms entering into the preceding expressions of H_n and λ_n , which, it will be seen by referring to (24) and (26), comprise all the constants $R_{(s, 1)}$, $\alpha_{(s, 1)}$, $B_{(s, 1)}$, and $\varepsilon_{(s, 1)}$, belonging to each one of the angles in the expressions; and, secondly, to obtain from these the general constants E , G , F , and F' in the expressions (25) and (27), expressing the relations between all the preceding constants, so that they may all be made to depend upon these few constants. It is not proposed to determine merely so many of the former as are necessary to determine the latter, thus

making all the rest depend upon theory, but to determine all that are of much importance practically, so that they may be used in testing the accuracy of the general theoretical expressions, and for constructing approximate formulæ of prediction independently of any theoretical relations between the constants, or used by any investigator for verifying and improving any tidal theory. All the constants and relations being determined which are of theoretical importance, the most convenient practical formulæ will be constructed from the results for the prediction of the times and heights of high and low water, together with tables for facilitating the computations.

The plan adopted for determining the constants from the observations is to apply Lubbock's method of averages to circular arguments throughout, instead of to arguments of parallax and declination, and then to use the constants thus obtained to determine the constants belonging to any other forms of expression into which it may be thought advisable to put the results. As the quantities H_n and λ_n are the only ones which are directly observed, corresponding to any given time or values of the arguments, these must be determined from observations for all parts of the arguments separately by so grouping the observations that the effects belonging to all the other arguments are eliminated, and then, by means of the conditions (33), (37), (40), and (41), the constants belonging to each argument, as well as the general constants independent of any arguments, can be determined.

To obtain the values of H_n and λ_n belonging to the different parts of any argument γ_n alone, all the observations within certain limits of the argument as from γ'_1 to γ''_1 have been grouped together, and the averages of all these have been taken as the normal values of H_n and λ_n belonging to the averages of all the corresponding values of the argument, which, when the number of the observations is considerable, does not differ much from $\frac{1}{2}(\gamma'_1 + \gamma''_1)$, the mean of the two limits. If these limits should be somewhat wide, a slight correction to the averages of the observations may be necessary, which is easily applied. When the observations extend over a long period, and have been regularly made, the effects of all the inequalities belonging to other arguments are completely eliminated, since the periods of all the other arguments being different, the observations falling within certain limits of any one argument, are equally distributed through all parts of the other arguments, and all the plus and minus effects cancel one another; and this is especially the case in a series of nineteen years, which is very nearly a multiple of the periods of all the principal arguments in the tidal expressions. In a long series, also, the inequalities due to the winds and barometric changes, and whatever other abnormal disturbances there may be, are very nearly eliminated.

24. If the normal values of λ_n and H_n have been obtained from all the observations without regard to the arguments of the inequalities, then all the inequalities in λ_n and H_n depending upon these arguments disappear, as also A_1 and the inequalities of A_0 , A_2 , and A_3 in (40) and (41). Putting

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda'_1 &= \frac{1}{2}(\lambda_1 + \lambda_3) & H'_1 &= \frac{1}{2}(H_1 + H_3) \\ \lambda'_2 &= \frac{1}{2}(\lambda_2 + \lambda_4) & H'_2 &= \frac{1}{2}(H_2 + H_4)\end{aligned}$$

we in this case obtain from (40),

$$(42) \quad \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2}(H'_1 + H'_2) = H_0 + K_0 + K_3 \cos 3 \lambda' \cos 3 q_2 - K_3 \sin 3 \lambda' \sin 3 q_1 \\ \frac{1}{2}(H'_1 - H'_2) = K_2 - K_3 \cos 3 \lambda' \cos 3 q_2 - K_3 \cos 3 \lambda' \cos 3 q_2 \\ \frac{1}{2}(H_1 - H_3) = K_3 \cos 3 \lambda' \\ \frac{1}{2}(H_2 - H_4) = K_3 \sin 3 \lambda' \end{cases}$$

and, from (41), omitting $9 A_3$ in comparison with $4 A_2$ in these very small quantities,

$$(43) \quad \begin{cases} \sin q_1 = -\frac{3 K_3 \sin 3 \lambda'}{4 K_2} \\ \cos q_2 = -\frac{3 K_3 \cos 3 \lambda'}{4 K_2} \end{cases}$$

Since $\sin q_1 = \sin q_3$, and $\sin q_2 = \sin q_4$, we have $\Sigma_n q_n = \frac{3}{2}\pi$, and hence from the first of (37) we get $L_2 = \frac{1}{4}(\Sigma_n \lambda_n - \frac{3}{2}\pi)$ when λ_n are all reckoned from the upper transit; but if two of them, as is usual, are reckoned from the lower transit, putting $\pi = 12^h 25^m.24$ in solar time, we get, since $L_2 = B_0$ in this case,

$$(44) \quad B_0 = \frac{1}{4}(\Sigma_n \lambda_n - 12^h 25^m.24) = \frac{1}{4}(\lambda'_1 + \lambda'_2 - 6^h 12^m.62)$$

which is the *mean establishment of the port*.

In the first two equations of (40), the terms depending upon A_3 being the products of two factors, which are both generally small, are, for the most part, entirely insensible, and may be omitted. If we then put

H'_0 = the mean height of the sea above the assumed zero plane,

we shall have

$$(45) \quad H'_0 = H_0 + K_0 = \frac{1}{2} (H'_1 + H'_2)$$

25. If we obtain the values of λ_n for any values of γ_i by grouping the observations in such a manner that all the inequalities belonging to the other arguments are eliminated, we have from (26) for high waters,

$$(46) \quad \lambda'_1 - B_0 - q_1 = \sum_i B_i \sin (\gamma_i - \epsilon_i) = \sum_i (M_i \sin \gamma_i + N_i \cos \gamma_i)$$

and for low waters,

$$(47) \quad \lambda'_2 - B_0 - q_2 + k = \sum_i B_i \sin (\gamma_i - \epsilon_i) = \sum_i (M_i \sin \gamma_i + N_i \cos \gamma_i)$$

in which

$$(48) \quad B_i = \sqrt{M_i^2 + N_i^2}, \text{ and } \tan \epsilon_i = -\frac{N_i}{M_i}$$

In these expressions \sum_i includes only the terms the angles of which may be included in the same argument; that is, the angles which are multiples of the first. The value of k in (34) must be used, putting $n = \frac{1}{2}$ and taking only the inequality belonging to γ_i .

Having obtained from observations m values of λ'_1 or λ'_2 , or of both, corresponding to m values of the argument, the preceding equations give m conditions for determining, by the method of least squares, the value of the constants B_i and ϵ_i .

If we in like manner obtain the values of H_n for any values of γ_i , we obtain from the first and third of (40), omitting the small terms just referred to (§ 24),

$$H'_1 - H_0 = A_0 + A_2 \text{ for high waters,}$$

and from the second and fourth of (40),

$$H'_2 - H_0 = A_0 - A_2 \text{ for low waters.}$$

But in this case we have (24),

$$A_0 = K_0 + K_0 \sum_i R_i \cos (\gamma_i - \alpha_i) = K_0 + K_0 \sum_i (M_i \cos \gamma_i + N_i \sin \gamma_i)$$

$$A_2 = K_2 + K_2 \sum_i R_i \cos (\gamma_i - \alpha_i) = K_2 + K_2 \sum_i (M_i \cos \gamma_i + N_i \sin \gamma_i)$$

in which \sum_i is limited as above, and in which

$$(49) \quad R_i = \sqrt{M_i^2 + N_i^2}, \text{ and } \tan \alpha_i = \frac{N_i}{M_i}$$

The values of R_i , M_i , &c., differ in their different connections with K_0 and K_2 . From the preceding we get, for high waters,

$$(50) \quad \begin{cases} H'_1 - H'_0 - K_2 = K_0 \sum_i (M_i \cos \gamma_i + N_i \sin \gamma_i) + K_2 \sum_i (M_i \cos \gamma_i + N_i \sin \gamma_i) \\ H'_2 - H'_0 + K_2 = K_0 \sum_i (M_i \cos \gamma_i + N_i \sin \gamma_i) - K_2 \sum_i (M_i \cos \gamma_i + N_i \sin \gamma_i) \end{cases}$$

With m values of H'_1 and H'_2 , corresponding to m values of the argument, we have, from the preceding, m equations of condition for determining the constants $R_{(s, 1)}$ and $\alpha_{(s, 1)}$.

From the first of (37) and from (41) we obtain, when λ_3 and λ_4 are reckoned from the lower transit,

$$(51) \quad \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} (\lambda_1 - \lambda_3) = \sin q_1 \\ \frac{1}{2} (\lambda_2 - \lambda_4) = -\cos q_2 \end{cases}$$

when A_1 is small in comparison with A_2 .

We also obtain from (40), in the case in which A_1 is not eliminated in the grouping of the observations,

$$(52) \quad \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} (H_1 - H_3) = A_1 \cos \Delta + A_3 \cos 3 \Delta \\ \frac{1}{2} (H_2 - H_4) = -A_1 \sin \Delta + A_3 \sin 3 \Delta \end{cases}$$

In these equations A_3 is always so small that the values of K_3 and Δ' , obtained by the last two conditions of (42) for the constant and principal part of A_3 , can be used without any sensible error.

With m values of λ_n for both high and low waters of both transits, (51) and (41) give m equa-

tions of condition for determining A_1 and Δ for m values of $\varphi = \frac{1}{2}\gamma_3$, when A_2 and A_3 and also Δ' have been determined from preceding conditions.

With m values of H_n , also, for both high and low waters of both transits, (52) gives, when A_3 and Δ' are known or insensible, m equations of condition for determining A_1 and Δ for m values of φ from observations of the heights only.

From (32) we have

$$(53) \quad A_1 = K_1 \sin(\varphi - a) = M \sin \varphi + N \cos \varphi$$

in which

$$(54) \quad K_1 = \sqrt{M^2 + N^2}, \text{ and } \tan a = -\frac{N}{M}$$

With m values of A_1 , determined by the preceding equations, (53) gives m equations of condition for determining R and ϵ .

From the first of (41) we obtain, approximately, when A_1 is small in comparison with A_2 , and consequently $\sin q$ is small,

$$q_1 = -\frac{A_1 \sin \Delta}{4 A_2}$$

and from the second of (41),

$$q_2 - \frac{1}{2}\pi = -\frac{A_1 \cos \Delta}{4 A_2}$$

When q_1 and $q_2 - \frac{1}{2}\pi$ are very small we can use for A_2 its mean value K_2 , and then with the preceding value of A_1 we get

$$(55) \quad \begin{cases} q_1 = -\frac{K_1 \sin \Delta}{4 K_2} \sin(\varphi - a) \\ q_2 - \frac{1}{2}\pi = -\frac{K_1 \cos \Delta}{4 K_2} \sin(\varphi - a) \end{cases}$$

The values of q_3 and q_4 are the complements of the preceding expressions respectively.

TABLES OF AVERAGE OR NORMAL VALUES.

26. The following tables contain the averages of groups of observations taken within certain limits of two arguments, and arranged, with reference to the averages of the arguments to which the observations correspond, in the form of tables of double entry. By summing these average results in two ways, the averages of all the observations contained within the limits of each group of either argument are obtained. The arguments have been for the most part divided into twenty-four equal parts, and the mean of the two limits of each division has been taken as the average of the values of the arguments, except in the case of $(\psi - \psi')$, in which the true average has been obtained. From these tabular results all the constants in this discussion have been obtained, and they might be treated in various other ways and many important results obtained which have not been brought out here.

An explanation of the notation contained in the headings of these tables may be found in sections (4), (8), and (11). The values of all the arguments except γ_3 are given for the time of the moon's apparent transit over the Washington meridian, happening a little more than two days before the time of high water, and which is the transit C according to Lubbock's notation. For the sake of convenience in grouping the observations, the values of γ_2 were used for a time two lunar days later, for which a reduction must be made when it is necessary to have the values of the arguments all referred to the same time.

To these tabular values a constant of 2 days must be added to the lunital intervals, and also 20 feet to the heights of high water, and 10 feet to those of low water, for the absolute heights above the assumed zero of the tide-gauge.

TABLE I—Containing average values belonging to the Arguments $(\psi - \psi') = \frac{1}{2} \eta_1$ and $\phi = \frac{1}{2} \eta_3$.

UPPER TRANSITS.

ϕ	$(\psi - \psi') = 0h. 0m. \dots 0h. 30m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 0h. 30m. \dots 1h. 0m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 1h. 0m. \dots 1h. 30m.$					
	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2
		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>
7.5	12	0 12	0 40	6 47	5.60	4.58	14	0 43	0 33	6 43	5.62	4.48	15	1 16	0 26	6 38	5.40	4.94
22.5	14	0 12	0 43	6 46	5.16	4.87	13	0 45	0 39	6 45	5.38	4.92	12	1 22	0 31	6 40	5.14	5.03
37.5	15	0 16	0 45	6 49	5.41	5.15	14	0 53	0 38	6 44	4.88	5.19	10	1 14	0 34	6 42	5.33	4.80
52.5	12	0 17	0 46	6 51	5.41	5.03	10	0 42	0 38	6 42	5.04	5.47	12	1 13	0 35	6 42	5.32	5.22
67.5	9	0 16	0 43	6 50	5.17	5.17	10	0 42	0 41	6 44	5.19	5.06	10	1 16	0 33	6 40	5.01	4.91
82.5	12	0 11	0 45	6 48	5.27	4.97	11	0 41	0 39	6 46	4.89	5.06	10	1 14	0 32	6 43	5.15	5.16
97.5	11	0 17	0 40	6 46	5.10	5.21	11	0 47	0 34	6 43	5.04	5.17	10	1 16	0 30	6 34	4.69	5.47
112.5	9	0 13	0 40	6 45	4.98	5.00	10	0 47	0 28	6 35	5.07	4.94	11	1 16	0 29	6 37	5.19	5.21
127.5	10	0 16	0 33	6 43	5.20	4.63	11	0 41	0 34	6 42	5.12	4.98	9	1 11	0 31	6 39	5.08	5.07
142.5	14	0 11	0 35	6 46	5.44	4.52	12	0 47	0 32	6 38	4.96	4.79	11	1 16	0 32	6 42	5.39	4.59
157.5	12	0 18	0 39	6 51	5.53	4.70	11	0 49	0 30	6 38	5.41	4.62	10	1 15	0 31	6 42	5.30	4.37
172.5	13	0 17	0 40	6 52	5.62	4.54	12	0 47	0 36	6 46	5.72	4.59	10	1 13	0 29	6 37	5.62	4.64
187.5	13	0 17	0 41	6 53	5.91	4.71	13	0 49	0 37	6 47	5.94	4.63	12	1 16	0 35	6 46	5.75	4.32
202.5	11	0 19	0 40	6 53	5.82	4.16	12	0 46	0 36	6 47	6.07	4.36	11	1 14	0 33	6 48	5.55	4.51
217.5	12	0 17	0 41	6 56	6.26	4.03	12	0 42	0 38	6 53	5.79	4.55	13	1 15	0 39	6 50	5.72	4.54
232.5	8	0 13	0 47	7 02	6.07	4.41	13	0 45	0 38	6 53	6.01	4.51	12	1 17	0 33	6 46	5.89	4.87
247.5	11	0 12	0 49	7 00	6.23	4.25	10	0 44	0 38	6 52	5.63	4.80	11	1 11	0 34	6 50	6.10	4.52
262.5	12	0 16	0 42	6 56	5.74	4.62	12	0 45	0 34	6 49	6.05	4.40	9	1 14	0 31	6 44	5.67	4.63
277.5	10	0 15	0 37	6 51	5.91	4.15	11	0 47	0 36	6 52	5.82	4.62	10	1 12	0 38	6 50	5.67	4.70
292.5	10	0 11	0 34	6 50	5.95	4.05	12	0 42	0 30	6 43	5.66	4.65	11	1 14	0 26	6 41	5.89	4.28
307.5	11	0 12	0 38	6 54	6.01	4.42	9	0 43	0 34	6 47	5.91	4.28	9	1 15	0 29	6 40	5.67	4.22
322.5	10	0 17	0 34	6 45	6.12	4.54	11	0 41	0 29	6 43	5.88	4.45	10	1 8	0 22	6 33	5.46	4.39
337.5	10	0 20	0 37	6 46	5.60	4.14	10	0 45	0 28	6 38	5.73	4.31	13	1 12	0 22	6 34	5.74	4.66
352.5	13	0 19	0 38	6 45	5.59	4.09	11	0 42	0 29	6 39	5.53	4.14	13	1 15	0 28	6 37	5.39	4.55
	273	0 15.2	0 40.3	6 50.3	5.63	4.58	275	0 44.8	0 34.6	6 44.5	5.51	4.71	264	1 14.4	0 30.9	6 41.4	5.46	4.73

ϕ	$(\psi - \psi') = 1h. 30m. \dots 2h. 0m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 2h. 0m. \dots 2h. 30m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 2h. 30m. \dots 3h. 0m.$					
	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2
		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>
7.5	12	1 51	0 26	6 35	5.10	4.84	10	2 11	0 22	6 31	5.00	5.24	11	2 41	0 21	6 31	5.34	5.51
22.5	11	1 46	0 25	6 34	5.08	4.65	12	2 16	0 25	6 34	4.93	5.26	13	2 45	0 25	6 35	4.97	5.24
37.5	9	1 40	0 33	6 41	5.42	4.94	13	2 13	0 26	6 33	4.84	5.76	14	2 47	0 23	6 33	4.73	5.56
52.5	14	1 44	0 29	6 40	4.71	5.31	14	2 20	0 28	6 37	4.70	5.70	12	2 48	0 23	6 30	4.52	5.62
67.5	11	1 45	0 26	6 35	4.79	5.51	12	2 16	0 26	6 34	4.80	5.90	12	2 41	0 24	6 33	4.44	5.65
82.5	12	1 43	0 31	6 35	5.13	5.68	12	2 17	0 26	6 33	4.74	5.69	12	2 49	0 19	6 27	4.44	5.97
97.5	10	1 43	0 32	6 37	4.56	5.24	10	2 15	0 25	6 34	5.34	5.50	10	2 43	0 23	6 30	4.87	5.94
112.5	12	1 46	0 27	6 38	4.98	5.38	9	2 16	0 20	6 28	4.74	5.58	10	2 41	0 16	6 25	4.59	5.38
127.5	11	1 46	0 20	6 28	5.04	5.04	11	2 16	0 16	6 25	4.72	5.21	10	2 43	0 19	6 29	4.95	5.38
142.5	10	1 42	0 20	6 28	5.29	4.88	12	2 13	0 21	6 26	4.87	5.02	10	2 46	0 18	6 30	4.76	5.23
157.5	12	1 43	0 31	6 38	5.10	4.91	12	2 11	0 25	6 34	4.95	4.91	9	2 40	0 23	6 32	5.16	5.79
172.5	13	1 42	0 28	6 38	5.29	4.82	12	2 17	0 23	6 33	5.06	5.05	12	2 51	0 25	6 33	5.06	5.21
187.5	14	1 43	0 26	6 39	5.52	4.56	13	2 15	0 27	6 40	5.18	5.03	12	2 44	0 25	6 37	5.31	5.23
202.5	12	1 45	0 30	6 42	5.54	4.90	14	2 19	0 28	6 40	5.16	4.98	12	2 48	0 22	6 35	5.12	5.15
217.5	13	1 48	0 27	6 41	5.50	4.70	11	2 20	0 28	6 38	5.52	5.11	11	2 42	0 23	6 40	5.47	5.09
232.5	14	1 43	0 30	6 49	5.58	5.00	14	2 12	0 30	6 41	5.48	5.09	12	2 43	0 25	6 42	5.32	4.93
247.5	12	1 44	0 31	6 44	5.67	4.92	14	2 15	0 28	6 39	5.34	5.29	13	2 45	0 23	6 37	5.44	5.33
262.5	11	1 44	0 27	6 43	5.61	5.17	12	2 16	0 21	6 35	5.71	5.15	10	2 40	0 23	6 41	5.59	5.24
277.5	11	1 44	0 25	6 38	5.55	4.85	10	2 14	0 21	6 37	5.77	4.94	11	2 44	0 21	6 36	5.19	5.38
292.5	12	1 44	0 17	6 33	5.64	4.46	12	2 14	0 24	6 30	5.77	4.55	11	2 52	0 18	6 34	5.19	4.80
307.5	11	1 45	0 21	6 35	5.63	4.83	11	2 19	0 15	6 38	5.63	5.03	11	2 44	0 17	6 30	5.17	5.02
322.5	11	1 42	0 24	6 38	5.73	4.70	12	2 14	0 26	6 38	5.46	4.86	11	2 43	0 15	6 27	5.19	5.08
337.5	12	1 45	0 22	6 33	5.57	4.68	10	2 20	0 23	6 36	5.71	4.85	10	2 47	0 13	6 27	5.35	5.22
352.5	12	1 49	0 25	6 36	5.42	4.92	11	2 15	0 20	6 33	5.44	4.92	10	2 42	0 13	6 25	5.08	5.32
	285	1 44.4	0 26.4	6 37.4	5.51	4.95	283	2 15.6	0 23.9	6 34.4	5.20	5.19	269	2 44.6	0 20.7	6 32.4	5.05	5.32

TABLE I—Containing average values belonging to the Arguments $(\psi - \psi') = \frac{1}{2} \eta_1$ and $\phi = \frac{1}{2} \eta_3$ —Continued.

UPPER TRANSITS.

ϕ	$(\psi - \psi') = 3h. 0m. \dots 3h. 30m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 3h. 30m. \dots 4h. 0m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 4h. 0m. \dots 4h. 30m.$					
	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2
	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>
7.5	12	3 13	0 19	6 30	4.92	5.44	10	3 44	0 26	6 32	4.54	5.64	11	4 12	0 25	6 35	4.23	5.70
22.5	12	3 18	0 22	6 32	4.39	5.46	11	3 45	0 19	6 32	4.66	5.78	12	4 12	0 26	6 38	4.18	5.80
37.5	12	3 19	0 25	6 34	4.46	5.67	11	3 45	0 22	6 32	4.38	5.66	11	4 12	0 26	6 41	4.40	5.83
52.5	10	3 17	0 21	6 34	4.68	5.78	12	3 42	0 23	6 33	3.72	5.86	14	4 17	0 31	6 38	3.97	6.14
67.5	14	3 16	0 25	6 32	4.53	6.12	13	3 44	0 23	6 33	4.41	6.08	12	4 20	0 26	6 34	3.68	6.33
82.5	12	3 16	0 18	6 31	4.93	5.64	11	3 44	0 19	6 27	4.28	6.08	12	4 13	0 21	6 28	4.10	6.87
97.5	11	3 16	0 20	6 30	4.78	5.83	14	3 45	0 16	6 26	4.10	6.18	13	4 21	0 17	6 32	4.01	6.20
112.5	11	3 15	0 17	6 27	4.73	5.87	10	3 45	0 22	6 31	4.83	5.95	12	4 14	0 22	6 31	4.59	6.30
127.5	11	3 15	0 11	6 24	4.62	5.64	10	3 42	0 14	6 21	4.18	5.74	10	4 17	0 23	6 36	4.66	6.00
142.5	12	3 13	0 15	6 23	4.78	5.68	11	3 47	0 10	6 27	4.83	5.57	12	4 16	0 19	6 31	4.45	5.58
157.5	11	3 13	0 20	6 29	4.84	5.46	11	3 44	0 20	6 28	4.73	6.04	12	4 14	0 27	6 40	4.85	5.57
172.5	10	3 23	0 23	6 36	4.83	5.54	11	3 45	0 26	6 35	4.85	5.45	11	4 15	0 26	6 41	4.68	5.85
187.5	11	3 12	0 22	6 31	4.91	5.39	11	3 40	0 26	6 39	4.89	5.73	11	4 15	0 27	6 45	5.03	5.57
202.5	12	3 14	0 22	6 39	5.14	5.46	13	3 47	0 29	6 43	4.99	5.86	13	4 16	0 31	6 44	4.87	5.78
217.5	13	3 14	0 25	6 40	5.07	5.37	13	3 42	0 24	6 41	5.01	5.77	12	4 16	0 33	6 50	4.79	5.85
232.5	14	3 17	0 26	6 41	5.17	5.73	13	3 44	0 27	6 42	4.90	5.45	11	4 15	0 30	6 45	5.03	5.83
247.5	12	3 22	0 26	6 47	5.42	5.25	13	3 43	0 22	6 36	4.86	5.90	15	4 14	0 25	6 47	5.06	5.96
262.5	12	3 9	0 24	6 37	5.15	5.43	14	3 45	0 20	6 37	5.12	5.64	12	4 22	0 30	6 44	4.61	5.90
277.5	13	3 16	0 17	6 33	6.30	5.48	11	3 45	0 17	6 33	5.17	5.75	12	4 16	0 19	6 36	4.79	5.62
292.5	9	3 15	0 15	6 28	5.63	5.42	10	3 42	0 13	6 31	5.13	5.96	12	4 16	0 15	6 26	5.12	5.84
307.5	12	3 18	0 16	6 28	5.14	5.36	12	3 45	0 16	6 28	5.19	5.22	11	4 15	0 11	6 31	4.86	5.85
322.5	12	3 17	0 10	6 21	5.08	5.22	12	3 44	0 17	6 32	4.80	5.12	10	4 19	0 13	6 30	4.91	5.72
337.5	11	3 13	0 18	6 27	4.95	5.33	11	3 45	0 20	6 32	5.19	5.40	11	4 17	0 15	6 30	4.62	5.46
362.5	11	3 17	0 17	6 29	4.66	5.61	12	3 47	0 17	6 32	4.92	5.35	11	4 17	0 16	6 28	4.56	5.69
	280	3 15.8	0 19.8	6 31.8	4.92	5.55	280	3 44.2	0 20.3	6 32.6	4.74	5.71	283	4 15.9	0 23.2	6 36.7	4.58	5.88

ϕ	$(\psi - \psi') = 4h. 30m. \dots 5h. 0m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 5h. 0m. \dots 5h. 30m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 5h. 30m. \dots 6h. 0m.$					
	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2
	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>
7.5	12	4 45	0 31	6 43	4.43	5.68	11	5 15	0 33	6 45	4.21	5.72	10	5 44	0 42	6 53	4.27	5.72
22.5	11	4 43	0 35	6 46	4.60	5.66	12	5 16	0 36	6 49	4.10	6.20	10	5 42	0 38	6 52	4.33	5.94
37.5	16	4 46	0 31	6 42	4.03	6.05	11	5 18	0 41	6 53	4.21	6.28	10	5 46	0 44	6 53	4.34	5.90
52.5	12	4 47	0 32	6 42	3.89	6.02	11	5 14	0 40	6 51	4.03	5.95	12	5 39	0 46	6 54	3.78	6.43
67.5	12	4 46	0 30	6 42	3.93	5.88	12	5 16	0 39	6 47	3.68	6.37	13	5 43	0 46	6 58	3.62	5.93
82.5	14	4 43	0 27	6 37	4.27	6.43	13	5 17	0 35	6 45	3.92	6.49	13	5 46	0 38	6 50	3.70	6.04
97.5	11	4 47	0 20	6 28	4.00	6.33	12	5 16	0 27	6 42	4.43	6.43	14	5 43	0 36	6 46	4.01	6.57
112.5	12	4 42	0 20	6 30	4.61	5.91	12	5 16	0 26	6 40	4.05	6.55	13	5 46	0 29	6 44	4.35	6.33
127.5	12	4 46	0 19	6 28	4.32	6.53	11	5 18	0 23	6 37	4.24	6.22	11	5 42	0 29	6 41	4.38	6.12
142.5	11	4 45	0 20	6 31	4.43	6.15	11	5 17	0 28	6 42	4.72	5.89	12	5 41	0 32	6 46	4.40	6.20
157.5	12	4 46	0 20	6 35	4.31	6.06	10	5 13	0 29	6 44	4.74	5.62	11	5 43	0 34	6 49	4.73	6.01
172.5	9	4 45	0 31	6 45	4.48	5.49	11	5 16	0 29	6 46	4.70	5.94	11	5 45	0 40	6 57	4.89	5.90
187.5	11	4 44	0 32	6 43	4.47	5.59	11	5 15	0 32	6 51	4.61	5.57	11	5 44	0 40	6 56	5.03	5.94
202.5	11	4 47	0 40	6 52	4.85	5.41	10	5 14	0 41	6 58	4.67	5.80	11	5 46	0 48	6 59	4.83	5.77
217.5	13	4 42	0 36	6 50	4.69	5.76	12	5 17	0 41	7 0	4.56	5.40	12	5 44	0 51	7 8	5.06	6.14
232.5	12	4 47	0 30	6 51	4.84	5.85	14	5 16	0 48	7 5	4.75	6.01	12	5 47	0 47	7 7	4.86	5.82
247.5	13	4 44	0 33	6 49	4.58	6.09	12	5 18	0 35	6 58	4.97	5.90	14	5 45	0 47	7 12	4.70	6.42
262.5	12	4 39	0 22	6 41	4.87	6.19	13	5 12	0 37	6 55	4.71	5.91	15	5 40	0 35	6 55	4.95	6.15
277.5	15	4 45	0 24	6 44	4.87	5.84	14	5 19	0 32	6 51	4.58	6.07	12	5 47	0 36	6 56	5.05	6.31
292.5	11	4 45	0 16	6 34	4.79	6.02	12	5 12	0 21	6 41	4.80	5.99	13	5 44	0 33	6 52	5.43	5.84
307.5	10	4 44	0 17	6 32	4.72	5.72	12	5 16	0 25	6 42	4.69	5.83	13	5 45	0 27	6 44	4.51	6.11
322.5	10	4 45	0 19	6 35	4.79	5.68	12	5 16	0 19	6 36	4.52	5.82	11	5 50	0 28	6 43	4.29	5.72
337.5	11	4 47	0 22	6 39	4.72	5.75	12	5 13	0 29	6 45	4.69	5.78	11	5 44	0 29	6 43	4.35	6.13
352.5	10	4 46	0 28	6 41	4.45	5.85	12	5 13	0 30	6 44	5.05	5.57	13	5 47	0 36	6 49	4.34	5.93
	283	4 44.8	0 26.4	6 40.0	4.50	5.91	283	5 15.6	0 32.3	6 47.8	4.48	5.97	288	5 44.3	0 37.9	6 52.8	4.46	6.06

TABLE I—Containing average values belonging to the Arguments $(\psi - \psi') = \frac{1}{2} \eta_1$ and $\phi = \frac{1}{2} \eta_3$ —Continued.

UPPER TRANSITS.

ϕ	$(\psi - \psi') = 6h. 0m. \dots 6h. 30m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 6h. 30m. \dots 7h. 0m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 7h. 0m. \dots 7h. 30m.$					
	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2
		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>
7.5	12	6 14	0 46	6 59	4.47	5.93	11	6 45	0 47	7 1	4.48	5.67	11	7 17	1 1	7 6	4.07	5.75
22.5	11	6 10	0 48	6 57	4.32	6.00	12	6 42	0 54	7 6	4.12	5.73	11	7 11	0 57	7 9	4.45	5.52
37.5	11	6 15	0 52	7 1	4.07	6.43	10	6 44	0 58	7 8	3.84	5.93	11	7 17	1 3	7 14	4.25	5.80
52.5	12	6 14	0 56	7 4	3.84	6.17	13	6 46	1 0	7 9	4.30	5.98	11	7 16	1 6	7 14	4.13	6.00
67.5	13	6 19	0 53	7 3	3.52	6.52	12	6 44	0 56	7 11	3.79	5.67	9	7 15	1 9	7 17	4.06	5.85
82.5	13	6 15	0 48	7 1	3.49	6.45	13	6 46	0 57	7 10	3.92	5.84	11	7 19	1 8	7 12	3.60	6.10
97.5	12	6 17	0 44	6 57	4.05	6.43	13	6 43	0 54	7 1	3.89	5.89	11	7 14	1 1	7 10	4.08	6.03
112.5	13	6 18	0 45	6 59	4.11	6.56	14	6 42	0 45	6 58	4.33	6.14	13	7 16	0 57	7 10	4.24	6.28
127.5	12	6 11	0 30	6 43	4.00	6.43	14	6 46	0 47	6 59	4.23	6.13	11	7 22	0 54	7 5	4.45	6.05
142.5	11	6 18	0 40	6 53	4.64	6.02	11	6 45	0 41	6 55	4.48	6.43	11	7 15	0 48	7 4	4.65	5.84
157.5	13	6 12	0 41	6 55	4.69	5.93	12	6 43	0 49	7 3	4.85	5.97	11	7 12	0 51	7 4	4.75	5.50
172.5	13	6 16	0 45	7 0	4.92	5.98	11	6 49	0 50	7 7	4.84	5.56	10	7 14	0 55	7 12	5.25	5.71
187.5	9	6 14	0 47	7 3	4.90	5.80	10	6 48	0 52	7 9	5.07	5.46	10	7 13	0 54	7 14	5.27	5.58
202.5	12	6 14	0 53	7 11	5.20	5.71	11	6 40	0 53	7 11	5.00	6.00	11	7 13	1 5	7 24	5.38	5.53
217.5	11	6 17	1 0	7 16	4.85	5.79	11	6 46	1 1	7 20	4.92	5.60	12	7 14	1 1	7 24	5.20	5.22
232.5	11	6 14	0 59	7 17	4.64	5.73	11	6 41	0 58	7 18	5.04	5.59	11	7 19	1 10	7 28	5.11	5.55
247.5	12	6 15	0 51	7 14	5.12	5.81	12	6 46	1 2	7 24	4.98	5.34	12	7 15	1 7	7 27	4.99	5.84
262.5	12	6 18	0 50	7 12	4.69	6.08	12	6 43	0 50	7 12	4.96	5.90	11	7 11	1 0	7 26	4.84	5.35
277.5	11	6 19	0 48	7 10	4.68	5.94	13	6 43	0 46	7 6	5.19	5.80	13	7 17	1 1	7 21	4.72	5.54
292.5	11	6 15	0 42	6 59	4.44	6.04	12	6 46	0 46	7 4	4.65	5.72	10	7 18	0 56	7 12	4.85	5.69
307.5	12	6 17	0 37	6 56	4.94	5.93	11	6 38	0 44	7 5	4.61	5.61	12	7 12	0 45	7 7	4.89	5.67
322.5	10	6 16	0 37	6 53	4.68	6.00	11	6 47	0 37	6 55	4.75	5.58	13	7 17	0 54	7 7	4.65	5.67
337.5	11	6 16	0 35	6 49	4.41	5.57	13	6 42	0 42	6 59	4.43	5.72	14	7 16	0 49	7 3	4.61	5.63
352.5	9	6 18	0 34	6 50	4.31	5.51	10	6 47	0 48	7 0	4.20	5.64	11	7 16	0 51	7 5	4.37	5.67
276	6 15.5	0 45.9	7 0.9	4.46	6.03		283	6 44.2	0 50.8	7 6.3	4.54	5.79	271	7 15.4	0 58.4	7 13.1	4.62	5.72

ϕ	$(\psi - \psi') = 7h. 30m. \dots 8h. 0m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 8h. 0m. \dots 8h. 30m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 8h. 30m. \dots 9h. 0m.$					
	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2
		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>
7.5	10	7 49	0 59	7 11	4.32	5.60	11	8 19	1 6	7 14	4.41	5.19	13	8 45	1 9	7 14	5.00	5.13
22.5	12	7 47	1 1	7 13	4.65	5.54	11	8 15	1 7	7 15	4.53	5.54	11	8 48	1 4	7 14	5.44	5.24
37.5	10	7 43	1 8	7 19	4.27	5.64	10	8 13	1 11	7 19	4.12	5.54	11	8 44	1 5	7 15	4.71	5.36
52.5	11	7 47	1 6	7 16	4.44	5.71	9	8 16	1 15	7 19	4.47	5.85	10	8 43	1 8	7 15	4.78	5.21
67.5	11	7 43	1 3	7 12	4.35	5.85	11	8 15	1 7	7 17	4.61	5.53	11	8 42	1 11	7 15	4.47	5.33
82.5	11	7 44	1 4	7 17	4.24	5.60	13	8 12	1 16	7 22	4.08	5.87	13	8 44	1 1	7 11	4.62	5.41
97.5	12	7 43	1 1	7 13	4.34	5.53	13	8 16	1 11	7 18	3.99	5.54	12	8 47	1 7	7 14	4.50	5.17
112.5	14	7 43	0 59	7 10	4.28	5.72	12	8 20	1 3	7 14	4.34	5.66	13	8 44	1 6	7 14	4.67	5.13
127.5	12	7 45	0 59	7 9	4.60	5.66	13	8 12	1 0	7 11	4.64	5.51	14	8 43	1 1	7 11	4.59	5.10
132.5	14	7 40	0 54	7 5	4.82	5.58	14	8 17	1 4	7 15	4.73	5.38	14	8 46	1 3	7 12	5.04	5.08
157.5	11	7 43	0 58	7 12	5.14	5.94	12	8 17	1 2	7 14	5.09	5.20	11	8 46	0 58	7 9	5.29	5.01
172.5	12	7 45	0 59	7 15	4.73	5.56	10	8 20	1 2	7 17	5.43	5.06	10	8 44	1 9	7 26	5.64	5.32
187.5	13	7 45	1 0	7 21	5.31	5.19	12	8 16	1 5	7 21	5.26	5.06	9	8 47	1 8	7 21	5.76	5.02
202.5	12	7 41	1 3	7 21	5.34	5.26	12	8 16	1 3	7 23	5.52	4.81	11	8 43	1 12	7 27	5.67	4.94
217.5	10	7 47	1 7	7 27	5.45	5.48	11	8 14	1 10	7 26	5.59	4.97	10	8 43	1 2	7 19	6.08	4.43
242.5	12	7 47	1 9	7 28	5.63	5.08	11	8 19	1 13	7 31	5.35	4.95	11	8 47	1 13	7 31	5.58	5.05
247.5	10	7 42	1 9	7 31	5.13	5.01	12	8 13	1 13	7 27	5.28	5.51	11	8 45	1 10	7 27	6.21	4.90
262.5	14	7 41	1 9	7 26	5.09	5.08	12	8 17	1 9	7 31	5.24	5.12	10	8 46	1 2	7 21	5.78	5.14
277.5	13	7 41	1 1	7 20	4.93	5.44	11	8 17	1 3	7 23	5.15	4.76	13	8 43	1 7	7 25	5.40	4.52
292.5	13	7 46	0 58	7 18	5.26	5.30	13	8 17	1 3	7 18	5.12	5.25	12	8 46	1 9	7 24	5.51	4.66
307.5	14	7 42	0 52	7 13	5.07	5.70	14	8 18	1 3	7 19	4.93	5.15	13	8 45	0 56	7 12	5.65	4.78
322.5	11	7 46	0 58	7 12	4.95	5.48	11	8 16	0 57	7 9	5.05	5.73	12	8 41	0 56	7 9	5.68	5.07
337.5	13	7 46	0 51	7 8	4.77	5.29	12	8 12	0 59	7 11	5.06	5.30	13	8 44	0 58	7 13	5.25	5.36
352.5	9	7 46	0 57	7 9	4.91	5.44	11	8 12	1 0	7 11	4.97	5.36	12	8 43	1 2	7 12	4.94	5.26
284	7 44.2	1 1.0	7 16.1	4.84	5.49		281	8 15.8	1 5.9	7 18.6	4.87	5.33	280	8 44.5	1 4.8	7 17.1	5.22	5.06

TABLE I—Containing average values belonging to the Arguments $(\psi - \psi') = \frac{1}{2} \eta_1$ and $\phi = \frac{1}{2} \eta_3$ —Continued.

UPPER TRANSITS.

ϕ	$(\psi - \psi') = 9h. 0m. \dots 9h. 30m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 9h. 30m. \dots 10h. 0m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 10h. 0m. \dots 10h. 30m.$					
	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2
	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$Ft.$	$Ft.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$Ft.$	$Ft.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$Ft.$	$Ft.$	$h. m.$	$Ft.$
7.5	11	9 18	0 58	7 5	5.25	4.56	11	9 43	1 1	7 11	5.65	5.01	12	10 11	1 2	7 7	5.26	5.18
22.5	11	9 17	1 5	7 13	4.92	5.05	10	9 44	1 2	7 9	5.18	4.98	12	10 13	0 59	7 9	5.10	5.06
37.5	10	9 18	1 11	7 14	4.78	5.07	10	9 40	1 5	7 13	4.58	5.06	12	10 11	1 3	7 10	5.39	5.24
52.5	11	9 13	1 16	7 21	4.63	5.41	10	9 44	1 8	7 14	5.01	5.27	14	10 16	1 2	7 8	4.84	5.42
67.5	12	9 15	1 8	7 9	4.68	5.46	12	9 46	1 6	7 10	4.83	5.12	11	10 17	1 4	7 11	5.10	5.21
82.5	11	9 16	1 12	7 15	4.85	5.36	10	9 46	1 3	7 5	4.68	4.83	10	10 15	1 0	7 5	4.83	5.19
97.5	10	9 13	1 6	7 14	4.54	5.34	11	9 42	0 55	7 5	5.08	5.02	12	10 14	1 1	7 5	5.00	5.20
112.5	12	9 17	1 3	7 12	4.44	5.04	12	9 47	0 59	7 7	4.90	5.12	11	10 17	0 58	7 3	4.74	5.08
127.5	10	9 19	1 6	7 14	4.61	5.46	12	9 46	1 1	7 6	5.26	4.56	12	10 12	0 56	7 5	5.04	4.78
142.5	12	9 17	0 58	7 6	5.28	5.08	12	9 42	1 0	7 9	5.32	4.72	13	10 12	0 59	7 6	5.26	5.11
157.5	15	9 14	1 2	7 14	5.36	4.88	13	9 43	0 57	7 11	5.52	4.90	12	10 20	0 56	7 5	5.47	4.92
172.5	13	9 11	0 59	7 16	5.55	4.65	14	9 47	1 0	7 13	5.54	5.03	14	10 17	0 58	7 9	5.65	4.23
187.5	12	9 12	1 5	7 19	5.73	4.86	11	9 45	1 9	7 21	5.75	4.77	12	10 17	1 0	7 16	6.03	4.19
202.5	12	9 14	1 5	7 17	5.78	5.02	11	9 50	1 6	7 24	5.94	4.90	10	10 16	1 0	7 14	6.04	4.57
217.5	12	9 12	1 13	7 27	5.36	4.96	12	9 46	1 8	7 23	5.93	4.48	10	10 16	1 2	7 15	6.21	4.32
232.5	12	9 16	1 6	7 22	6.12	4.36	12	9 48	1 5	7 21	5.97	4.74	10	10 17	1 5	7 18	6.02	4.61
247.5	10	9 13	1 12	7 32	5.29	4.97	11	9 43	1 3	7 22	6.23	4.10	12	10 15	1 1	7 16	5.90	4.45
262.5	10	9 16	1 3	7 25	5.83	4.64	11	9 44	1 4	7 23	5.72	4.70	10	10 15	1 1	7 18	5.51	4.71
277.5	11	9 16	1 4	7 25	5.27	4.76	11	9 48	0 58	7 13	5.91	4.94	8	10 14	0 56	7 12	6.09	5.09
292.5	11	9 17	1 2	7 18	5.74	4.42	11	9 41	1 0	7 14	5.63	4.30	11	10 13	0 55	7 8	5.63	4.39
307.5	12	9 12	0 57	7 16	5.53	4.77	12	9 41	0 59	7 14	5.98	4.27	13	10 16	0 55	7 9	5.63	4.37
322.5	16	9 13	1 1	7 12	5.16	4.65	15	9 46	0 57	7 10	5.76	4.84	12	10 16	0 53	7 10	5.95	4.57
337.5	14	9 19	1 3	7 12	5.27	5.01	12	9 52	0 52	7 4	5.43	4.49	11	10 19	0 57	7 10	5.73	4.43
352.5	12	9 18	1 1	7 12	5.08	4.89	10	9 44	0 58	7 7	5.60	4.86	11	10 12	0 55	7 5	5.63	4.97
	282	9 15.2	1 4.8	7 16.2	5.21	4.94	276	9 44.9	1 1.5	7 12.9	5.49	4.79	275	10 15.0	0 59.1	7 9.8	5.50	4.80

ϕ	$(\psi - \psi') = 10h. 30m. \dots 11h. 0m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 11h. 0m. \dots 11h. 30m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 11h. 30m. \dots 12h. 0m.$					
	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2
	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$Ft.$	$Ft.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$Ft.$	$Ft.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$Ft.$	$Ft.$	$h. m.$	$Ft.$
7.5	14	10 45	0 54	7 4	5.57	5.30	13	11 19	0 50	6 59	5.66	4.66	10	11 46	0 47	6 55	5.84	4.29
22.5	13	10 45	0 56	7 1	5.38	5.04	11	11 19	0 52	6 58	5.32	4.87	10	11 43	0 41	6 58	5.58	4.78
37.5	10	10 48	0 53	7 3	5.41	4.76	10	11 13	0 50	6 57	5.49	4.56	12	11 40	0 52	6 54	5.32	5.21
52.5	8	10 47	0 58	7 5	5.36	4.75	9	11 13	0 53	6 58	5.53	4.62	11	11 43	0 50	6 55	5.28	4.91
67.5	11	10 43	0 59	7 5	5.21	4.92	12	11 12	0 54	6 59	4.94	4.95	10	11 46	0 49	6 53	4.83	5.25
82.5	10	10 44	0 56	6 58	5.06	5.17	9	11 15	0 54	6 58	5.05	5.04	9	11 42	0 50	6 55	5.03	5.22
97.5	10	10 46	0 54	7 0	4.92	4.89	10	11 14	0 48	6 51	4.85	5.11	10	11 44	0 44	6 48	5.15	5.02
112.5	11	10 43	0 49	6 57	5.44	4.83	11	11 16	0 46	6 54	5.35	5.04	11	11 47	0 44	6 45	5.15	4.77
127.5	15	10 44	0 50	7 0	5.28	4.63	13	11 18	0 45	6 55	5.08	4.62	10	11 49	0 45	6 50	5.50	4.70
142.5	13	10 44	0 50	6 57	5.42	4.46	10	11 18	0 40	6 51	5.42	4.45	9	11 41	0 42	6 50	5.62	4.47
157.5	12	10 47	0 51	7 1	5.86	4.41	13	11 17	0 47	6 58	5.47	4.49	13	11 44	0 42	6 50	5.79	4.14
172.5	11	10 46	0 53	7 4	5.98	4.66	12	11 13	0 49	7 0	5.74	4.24	13	11 44	0 47	6 59	5.82	4.60
187.5	13	10 43	0 53	7 7	6.06	4.17	14	11 13	0 55	7 6	6.29	4.14	13	11 46	0 44	6 55	5.81	4.51
202.5	13	10 42	0 58	7 13	6.25	4.17	13	11 15	0 54	7 9	6.43	4.06	13	11 48	0 49	7 1	5.88	4.30
217.5	9	10 40	1 1	7 15	5.97	4.55	11	11 15	0 54	7 10	6.02	4.55	12	11 45	0 48	7 4	6.28	4.20
232.5	11	10 44	1 4	7 17	6.25	4.54	12	11 14	0 56	7 10	6.17	4.39	10	11 46	0 44	7 1	6.14	4.33
247.5	13	10 43	0 58	7 16	6.27	4.13	10	11 18	0 54	7 10	5.82	4.61	11	11 47	0 52	6 59	6.21	4.20
262.5	10	10 48	0 54	7 7	6.51	4.62	12	11 17	0 43	7 0	6.23	4.32	11	11 46	0 46	7 3	6.31	4.14
277.5	11	10 42	0 53	7 10	5.84	4.39	12	11 14	0 50	7 7	5.72	4.18	10	11 45	0 43	6 58	5.82	4.36
292.5	11	10 47	0 48	7 1	5.94	4.98	11	11 13	0 45	7 0	6.19	4.17	10	11 45	0 43	7 4	6.08	4.22
307.5	12	10 43	0 41	7 5	5.66	4.07	10	11 13	0 44	6 53	6.10	4.17	12	11 43	0 38	6 51	5.62	4.64
322.5	12	10 46	0 47	7 3	6.08	3.79	12	11 15	0 43	6 57	5.92	4.27	11	11 44	0 33	6 47	5.73	3.86
337.5	12	10 39	0 49	7 0	5.97	4.24	13	11 14	0 44	6 59	5.78	4.17	14	11 48	0 41	6 49	5.61	4.04
352.5	15	10 45	0 49	7 1	5.63	4.31	15	11 19	0 47	6 54	5.65	4.40	13	11 51	0 45	6 53	5.78	4.41
	280	10 44.3	0 53.7	7 4.3	5.72	4.58	278	11 15.3	0 49.0	6 59.7	5.68	4.50	268	11 45.1	0 45.4	6 55.3	5.67	4.58

TABLE II—Containing average values belonging to the Arguments $(\psi - \psi') = \frac{1}{2} \eta_1$ and $\phi = \frac{1}{2} \eta_2$.

LOWER TRANSITS.

ϕ	$(\psi - \psi') = 0h. 0m. \dots 0h. 30m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 0h. 30m. \dots 1h. 0m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 1h. 0m. \dots 1h. 30m.$					
	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_3	λ_4	H_3	H_4	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_3	λ_4	H_3	H_4	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_3	λ_4	H_3	H_4
		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>
7.5	14	0 17	0 40	6 50	5.67	4.60	13	0 48	0 33	6 46	5.87	4.05	10	1 15	0 28	6 39	5.91	4.32
22.5	11	0 22	0 38	6 51	6.11	4.09	11	0 47	0 33	6 47	6.00	4.28	13	1 11	0 32	6 44	5.90	4.31
37.5	8	0 17	0 40	6 52	5.95	4.31	12	0 41	0 34	6 48	6.01	4.51	15	1 15	0 30	6 44	5.86	4.58
52.5	13	0 11	0 39	6 54	6.11	4.05	13	0 46	0 35	6 47	6.08	4.45	8	1 17	0 30	6 45	6.02	4.81
67.5	10	0 20	0 38	6 54	6.23	4.43	11	0 51	0 39	6 50	5.88	4.27	10	1 14	0 24	6 42	5.72	4.30
82.5	9	0 14	0 42	6 58	5.95	4.49	10	0 43	0 33	6 50	6.19	4.18	10	1 14	0 26	6 48	5.82	4.52
97.5	11	0 17	0 38	6 51	6.31	4.39	10	0 44	0 34	6 50	6.18	4.40	11	1 14	0 30	6 50	5.62	4.55
112.5	12	0 30	0 34	6 48	6.10	4.10	11	0 44	0 27	6 43	6.07	4.50	11	1 16	0 27	6 38	5.59	4.61
127.5	10	0 20	0 33	6 47	5.57	4.30	10	0 48	0 28	6 42	6.13	4.25	10	1 15	0 19	6 31	6.01	4.36
142.5	11	0 18	0 38	6 52	5.93	4.53	10	0 44	0 33	6 47	5.49	4.64	10	1 12	0 29	6 42	5.58	4.80
157.5	12	0 16	0 34	6 47	5.92	4.19	12	0 44	0 30	6 43	5.86	4.31	13	1 14	0 33	6 46	4.99	4.66
172.5	13	0 12	0 43	6 53	5.88	4.62	13	0 42	0 35	6 46	5.60	4.54	12	1 15	0 27	6 39	5.57	4.82
187.5	13	0 12	0 44	6 51	5.56	4.76	14	0 43	0 38	6 48	5.21	4.85	14	1 16	0 33	6 43	5.40	4.78
202.5	12	0 13	0 46	6 53	5.51	4.98	12	0 47	0 38	6 48	5.32	4.70	12	1 18	0 31	6 44	5.04	5.12
217.5	15	0 14	0 48	6 56	5.11	5.08	13	0 47	0 42	6 50	5.43	5.27	12	1 14	0 37	6 43	5.02	5.25
232.5	12	0 22	0 48	6 56	5.38	5.14	10	0 49	0 42	6 51	5.26	5.33	9	1 10	0 39	6 48	5.29	4.92
247.5	11	0 18	0 43	6 50	5.38	5.07	10	0 41	0 49	6 52	5.22	5.60	12	1 12	0 41	6 49	4.87	5.57
262.5	11	0 18	0 49	6 51	5.20	5.25	11	0 48	0 44	6 49	5.03	5.54	11	1 15	0 35	6 43	5.20	5.74
277.5	10	0 13	0 42	6 52	4.69	5.25	10	0 40	0 41	6 44	4.93	5.35	11	1 16	0 32	6 41	5.07	5.67
292.5	11	0 15	0 38	6 53	5.03	5.20	11	0 44	0 30	6 43	5.03	5.01	11	1 11	0 30	6 36	5.21	4.99
307.5	11	0 17	0 45	6 44	5.13	5.33	11	0 45	0 36	6 38	5.24	4.55	11	1 16	0 28	6 37	4.95	5.09
322.5	12	0 13	0 36	6 45	5.66	4.20	11	0 45	0 23	6 35	4.95	4.84	10	1 16	0 34	6 40	5.16	4.93
337.5	14	0 10	0 36	6 46	5.27	4.39	13	0 46	0 34	6 43	5.67	4.60	9	1 19	0 30	6 39	5.02	4.94
352.5	14	0 16	0 37	6 46	5.85	4.07	13	0 49	0 31	6 41	5.39	4.45	8	1 18	0 29	6 44	6.13	4.64
	277	0 15.7	0 40.4	6 50.8	5.64	4.63	278	0 45.2	0 35.1	6 45.9	5.59	4.69	263	1 14.7	0 30.6	6 42.3	5.46	4.84

ϕ	$(\psi - \psi') = 1h. 30m. \dots 2h. 0m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 2h. 0m. \dots 2h. 30m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 2h. 30m. \dots 3h. 0m.$					
	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_3	λ_4	H_3	H_4	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_3	λ_4	H_3	H_4	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_3	λ_4	H_3	H_4
		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>
7.5	11	1 40	0 25	6 37	5.37	4.75	13	2 15	0 23	6 32	5.33	5.09	11	2 44	0 24	6 33	5.34	5.19
22.5	15	1 44	0 27	6 39	5.76	4.89	14	2 17	0 23	6 37	5.68	4.88	9	2 48	0 22	6 30	5.03	4.82
37.5	13	1 49	0 28	6 41	5.77	4.97	12	2 18	0 24	6 35	5.42	4.98	12	2 42	0 25	6 41	5.48	5.00
52.5	11	1 44	0 24	6 43	5.72	4.49	13	2 8	0 21	6 38	5.66	5.06	15	2 45	0 24	6 38	5.28	5.35
67.5	10	1 42	0 30	6 40	5.89	4.63	11	2 15	0 23	6 36	5.46	5.24	11	2 43	0 18	6 32	5.52	5.41
82.5	14	1 45	0 26	6 38	5.66	4.71	12	2 15	0 19	6 34	5.47	5.00	10	2 45	0 18	6 32	5.74	5.48
97.5	10	1 49	0 19	6 35	5.88	4.79	9	2 13	0 18	6 33	5.56	4.53	14	2 44	0 15	6 33	5.55	5.40
112.5	11	1 44	0 22	6 36	5.48	4.94	9	2 16	0 21	6 33	5.43	5.10	9	2 46	0 13	6 30	5.78	5.09
127.5	9	1 46	0 20	6 35	5.76	4.76	11	2 17	0 19	6 32	5.71	4.91	11	2 46	0 8	6 23	5.41	5.21
142.5	13	1 44	0 20	6 31	5.48	4.39	11	2 15	0 16	6 31	5.40	4.79	12	2 43	0 15	6 30	5.09	4.85
157.5	10	1 47	0 28	6 39	5.23	4.96	9	2 15	0 18	6 32	5.22	4.84	10	2 46	0 15	6 28	5.17	4.83
172.5	11	1 45	0 28	6 38	5.43	4.67	13	2 13	0 29	6 40	4.94	5.02	11	2 41	0 22	6 33	4.92	5.25
187.5	12	1 48	0 30	6 43	5.25	4.82	11	2 17	0 24	6 32	4.93	4.90	12	2 45	0 24	6 35	4.81	5.37
202.5	11	1 45	0 33	6 40	4.91	4.76	13	2 12	0 29	6 38	4.83	5.03	13	2 41	0 27	6 37	4.63	5.41
217.5	13	1 41	0 34	6 42	4.77	5.13	13	2 10	0 25	6 36	4.77	5.47	12	2 45	0 27	6 39	4.37	5.28
232.5	13	1 47	0 35	6 41	5.01	5.60	13	2 18	0 29	6 37	4.60	5.38	12	2 44	0 26	6 37	4.61	5.91
247.5	12	1 45	0 34	6 42	4.88	5.58	12	2 18	0 29	6 36	5.03	6.03	9	2 48	0 33	6 40	4.83	5.60
262.5	10	1 43	0 33	6 40	5.25	5.62	12	2 11	0 30	6 37	4.64	5.35	12	2 43	0 25	6 36	4.54	5.85
277.5	11	1 43	0 30	6 37	4.93	5.27	11	2 15	0 26	6 35	4.70	6.00	11	2 47	0 21	6 31	4.98	5.82
292.5	9	1 40	0 34	6 39	5.16	5.45	11	2 14	0 23	6 33	4.74	5.39	10	2 43	0 23	6 30	4.77	5.58
307.5	12	1 45	0 23	6 33	5.16	5.20	12	2 14	0 19	6 32	4.51	5.10	10	2 41	0 21	6 32	4.76	5.65
322.5	11	1 46	0 23	6 35	4.96	4.78	10	2 14	0 16	6 28	4.96	5.43	10	2 47	0 18	6 29	5.01	5.19
337.5	11	1 44	0 20	6 34	5.43	4.85	12	2 15	0 22	6 30	5.06	5.25	11	2 46	0 24	6 36	5.08	5.27
352.5	11	1 41	0 25	6 33	5.47	4.57	12	2 15	0 20	6 30	5.27	5.09	11	2 46	0 24	6 36	5.35	5.09
	274	1 44.4	0 27.1	6 37.9	5.36	4.94	279	2 14.6	0 22.8	6 34.0	5.14	5.17	268	2 44.6	0 21.3	6 33.4	5.09	5.33

TABLE II—Containing average values belonging to the Arguments $(\psi - \psi') = \frac{1}{2}\eta_1$ and $\phi = \frac{1}{2}\eta_2$ —Continued.

LOWER TRANSITS.

ϕ	$(\psi - \psi') = 3h. 0m. \dots 3h. 30m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 3h. 30m. \dots 4h. 0m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 4h. 0m. \dots 4h. 30m.$					
	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_3	λ_4	H_3	H_4	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_3	λ_4	H'	H_4	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_3	λ_4	H_3	H_4
$^\circ$		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>
7.5	11	3 17	0 19	6 32	5.30	5.40	12	3 43	0 20	6 32	4.74	5.49	12	4 17	0 28	6 42	4.84	5.84
22.5	14	3 9	0 25	6 36	5.41*	5.42	13	3 44	0 22	6 37	4.98	5.60	12	4 16	0 25	6 40	4.71	5.37
37.5	12	3 13	0 16	6 33	5.14	5.38	12	3 45	0 19	6 38	4.96	5.56	12	4 15	0 28	6 43	4.90	5.54
52.5	14	3 15	0 18	6 24	5.23	5.45	12	3 47	0 25	6 33	5.03	5.47	12	4 15	0 24	6 43	4.82	5.66
67.5	12	3 11	0 18	6 35	5.30	5.09	14	3 45	0 20	6 40	5.02	5.54	15	4 11	0 22	6 39	5.04	5.80
82.5	12	3 15	0 12	6 28	5.37	5.20	13	3 46	0 15	6 29	5.09	5.52	13	4 15	4 20	6 34	4.91	5.66
97.5	11	3 16	0 16	6 30	5.07	5.45	9	3 46	0 10	6 29	5.24	5.69	13	4 12	0 14	6 30	5.07	5.82
112.5	11	3 13	0 14	6 31	5.24	5.04	11	3 41	0 13	6 30	5.02	5.60	13	4 17	0 12	6 31	4.87	5.67
127.5	11	3 15	0 13	6 27	4.92	5.37	12	3 47	0 15	6 32	5.00	5.42	13	4 16	0 13	6 28	4.60	5.62
142.5	10	3 14	0 15	6 26	5.09	5.38	10	3 45	0 14	6 28	4.93	5.45	10	4 14	0 12	6 30	4.80	5.81
157.5	11	3 14	0 17	6 28	4.55	5.40	11	3 44	0 21	6 34	4.92	5.40	13	4 14	0 13	6 30	4.72	5.78
172.5	12	3 14	0 22	6 33	4.85	5.37	11	3 45	0 22	6 33	4.56	5.54	10	4 18	0 25	6 40	4.52	5.37
187.5	13	3 15	0 28	6 37	4.79	5.49	11	3 50	0 26	6 38	4.39	5.72	10	4 16	0 30	6 39	4.11	5.63
202.5	13	3 17	0 25	6 35	4.37	5.62	12	3 44	0 27	6 38	4.28	5.97	11	4 15	0 30	6 44	4.38	6.00
217.5	12	3 14	0 24	6 36	4.79	5.50	13	3 44	0 25	6 39	4.06	5.77	15	4 15	0 31	6 41	4.03	6.07
232.5	13	3 16	0 27	6 38	4.52	5.72	13	3 45	0 29	6 39	4.34	6.25	13	4 18	0 33	6 43	3.93	5.92
247.5	14	3 13	0 25	6 37	4.43	5.89	13	3 50	0 28	6 38	4.16	6.23	11	4 15	0 30	6 39	4.03	6.08
262.5	13	3 15	0 21	6 31	4.79	6.13	12	3 45	0 28	6 38	4.30	6.06	12	4 10	0 22	6 35	4.16	6.32
277.5	11	3 13	0 23	6 33	4.63	6.00	12	3 44	0 22	6 35	4.08	5.86	12	4 15	0 24	6 34	4.67	6.06
292.5	13	3 15	0 22	6 32	4.55	6.20	13	3 48	0 19	6 24	4.84	5.89	10	4 13	0 21	6 33	4.34	6.28
307.5	11	3 16	0 16	6 27	4.43	5.72	10	3 49	0 15	6 32	4.91	6.11	11	4 15	0 17	6 30	4.47	5.69
322.5	11	3 18	0 15	6 28	4.60	5.65	9	3 48	0 16	6 30	4.73	6.03	9	4 14	0 24	6 34	4.51	5.90
337.5	11	3 16	0 18	6 31	4.99	5.84	12	3 47	0 14	6 30	4.76	5.67	9	4 16	0 20	6 34	4.88	5.75
352.5	9	3 13	0 16	6 25	5.01	5.50	11	3 42	0 25	6 37	5.37	5.75	12	4 14	0 24	6 36	4.62	5.75
	285	3 14.5	0 19.4	6 31.4	4.89	5.55	281	3 45.6	0 20.3	6 33.9	4.74	5.73	283	4 14.8	0 22.6	6 36.3	4.58	5.81

ϕ	$(\psi - \psi') = 4h. 30m. \dots 5h. 0m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 5h. 0m. \dots 5h. 30m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 5h. 30m. \dots 6h. 0m.$					
	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_3	λ_4	H_3	H_4	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_3	λ_4	H_3	H_4	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_3	λ_4	H_3	H_4
$^\circ$		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>
7.5	11	4 44	0 27	6 44	4.83	5.75	10	5 12	0 35	6 48	4.78	5.69	10	5 44	0 39	6 53	4.78	5.86
22.5	7	4 48	0 33	6 48	5.00	5.90	11	5 17	0 39	6 50	4.85	5.85	11	5 46	0 45	7 1	4.82	5.79
37.5	13	4 43	0 32	6 52	4.64	6.02	11	5 13	0 34	6 52	4.93	5.70	12	5 44	0 44	7 5	4.79	6.07
52.5	13	4 44	0 33	6 52	4.81	5.73	13	5 14	0 36	6 52	4.49	5.78	10	5 46	0 42	7 1	5.06	5.71
67.5	13	4 45	0 25	6 53	4.61	6.22	12	5 15	0 34	6 56	4.91	5.62	13	5 46	0 42	7 1	4.64	5.76
82.5	12	4 44	0 22	6 40	4.77	5.98	12	5 14	0 30	6 51	4.87	5.75	9	5 46	0 35	6 54	4.64	6.22
97.5	12	4 49	0 21	6 38	4.87	5.93	12	5 16	0 16	6 37	4.91	6.10	10	5 44	0 32	6 51	4.76	5.98
112.5	11	4 50	0 17	6 32	4.42	6.25	11	5 15	0 18	6 39	4.72	5.73	11	5 44	0 26	6 43	4.82	6.29
127.5	10	4 48	0 20	6 35	4.90	5.68	11	5 13	0 18	6 39	4.56	5.77	11	5 45	0 28	6 46	4.44	6.03
142.5	11	4 44	0 22	6 37	4.46	5.80	12	5 14	0 20	6 35	4.72	5.89	12	5 47	0 32	6 49	4.58	5.88
157.5	11	4 46	0 19	6 36	4.84	5.53	10	5 16	0 27	6 49	4.60	6.07	12	5 49	0 32	6 46	4.49	5.89
172.5	12	4 47	0 32	6 42	4.23	5.47	10	5 16	0 33	6 48	4.36	6.00	11	5 44	0 34	6 48	4.15	5.61
187.5	10	4 46	0 32	6 42	4.19	5.79	11	5 13	0 41	6 51	3.90	5.85	12	5 42	0 41	6 56	4.07	5.74
202.5	11	4 44	0 32	7 44	3.84	5.89	9	5 17	0 48	6 57	4.06	5.95	10	5 49	0 49	7 0	3.96	6.00
217.5	11	4 49	0 40	6 55	3.89	6.33	11	5 17	0 44	6 59	4.20	6.27	9	5 44	0 50	6 50	3.90	5.76
232.5	12	4 47	0 40	6 50	3.76	6.50	11	5 9	0 40	6 52	3.99	6.10	13	5 41	0 56	7 4	3.61	6.49
247.5	11	4 45	0 37	6 45	4.05	6.18	15	5 12	0 45	6 55	3.61	6.37	14	5 47	0 48	7 3	3.76	6.32
262.5	12	4 51	0 31	6 45	4.30	6.65	13	5 12	0 36	6 46	4.05	6.42	13	5 43	0 49	6 58	3.97	6.13
277.5	12	4 45	0 30	6 43	4.10	6.30	11	5 18	0 28	6 40	4.18	6.25	11	5 48	0 46	6 53	3.56	6.46
292.5	13	4 43	0 22	6 34	4.05	6.25	13	5 14	0 28	6 43	4.30	6.21	11	5 43	0 33	6 50	4.35	6.28
307.5	12	4 44	0 20	6 36	4.53	6.00	10	5 12	0 28	6 43	4.30	6.43	11	5 44	0 34	6 50	4.12	6.21
322.5	10	4 42	0 20	6 34	4.69	5.92	11	5 13	0 25	6 39	4.40	5.90	13	5 45	0 32	6 47	4.42	5.97
337.5	12	4 46	0 27	6 42	4.59	5.98	12	5 17	0 33	6 46	5.05	6.00	11	5 45	0 31	6 48	4.62	5.87
352.5	10	4 44	0 27	6 43	5.08	5.60	11	5 15	0 32	6 48	4.67	5.94	11	5 43	0 38	6 53	5.00	5.75
	272	4 45.8	0 27.6	6 42.2	4.48	5.99	273	5 14.3	0 32.0	6 49.2	4.48	5.99	271	5 45.0	0 39.1	6 53.8	4.39	6.00

TABLE II—Containing average values belonging to the Arguments $(\psi - \psi') = \frac{1}{2} \eta_1$ and $\phi = \eta_2$ —Continued.

LOWER TRANSITS.

ϕ	$(\psi - \psi') = 6h. 0m. \dots 6h. 30m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 6h. 30m. \dots 7h. 0m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 7h. 0m. \dots 7h. 30m.$					
	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_2	λ_4	H_2	H_4	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_2	λ_4	H_2	H_4	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_2	λ_4	H_2	H_4
$^{\circ}$		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>ft.</i>	<i>ft.</i>		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>ft.</i>	<i>ft.</i>		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>ft.</i>	<i>ft.</i>
7.5	13	6 13	0 46	7 2	5.07	5.69	12	6 45	0 52	7 8	4.99	5.81	10	7 14	0 51	7 12	5.19	5.13
22.5	11	6 16	0 48	7 4	4.91	5.85	12	6 44	0 47	7 6	5.19	5.48	10	7 17	0 52	7 15	5.35	5.15
37.5	10	6 17	0 52	7 10	4.86	5.53	11	6 47	0 50	7 12	5.10	5.47	10	7 16	0 56	7 12	5.15	5.17
52.5	10	6 13	0 44	7 9	5.12	5.92	12	6 42	0 57	7 14	4.90	5.73	12	7 15	0 0	7 21	5.17	5.36
67.5	14	6 10	0 45	7 7	4.72	5.80	13	6 48	0 57	7 20	4.70	5.90	10	7 17	0 52	7 12	5.30	5.62
82.5	14	6 11	0 42	7 1	4.66	5.86	16	6 45	0 55	7 15	4.75	5.46	11	7 15	0 58	7 19	5.01	4.96
97.5	16	6 12	0 39	7 0	4.82	5.83	14	6 49	0 47	7 7	4.94	5.86	14	7 16	0 54	7 14	5.00	5.68
112.5	12	6 12	0 29	6 52	4.89	5.97	12	6 43	0 46	7 3	4.54	6.26	11	7 8	0 47	7 5	4.77	5.52
127.5	13	6 15	0 34	6 54	4.64	5.80	13	6 49	0 43	6 59	4.66	6.09	14	7 16	0 47	7 5	4.90	5.55
142.5	11	6 15	0 27	6 43	4.35	5.99	11	6 44	0 40	7 0	4.68	5.54	12	7 12	0 47	7 5	4.54	5.78
157.5	9	6 18	0 46	6 56	4.75	6.90	12	6 44	0 45	7 1	4.61	5.79	12	7 16	0 48	7 3	4.51	5.64
172.5	11	6 14	0 42	6 56	4.34	5.75	11	6 43	0 51	7 4	4.61	5.78	12	7 17	0 56	7 7	4.49	5.90
187.5	13	6 15	0 47	6 58	4.41	5.96	11	6 41	0 52	6 56	4.26	5.77	12	7 17	1 1	7 12	4.26	5.62
202.5	10	6 18	0 51	7 6	4.05	5.69	11	6 49	1 0	7 10	4.17	5.93	12	7 18	1 1	7 12	4.53	5.44
217.5	12	6 12	1 2	7 11	4.14	6.42	12	6 42	0 59	7 14	4.00	5.81	12	7 16	1 10	7 20	4.13	5.99
232.5	12	6 12	0 54	7 5	3.80	6.08	11	6 47	1 13	7 19	4.03	6.05	10	7 14	1 2	7 14	3.85	5.22
247.5	11	6 18	1 2	7 12	3.93	6.40	11	6 45	1 5	1 13	4.04	6.09	12	7 11	1 9	7 18	3.80	5.64
262.5	14	6 8	0 52	7 1	3.69	6.30	13	6 45	1 4	7 12	3.73	6.05	11	7 14	1 12	7 19	4.05	5.64
277.5	15	6 13	0 46	6 58	4.16	6.39	14	6 48	0 58	7 7	3.78	6.18	12	7 16	1 4	7 19	4.06	5.86
292.5	12	6 15	0 46	7 0	4.14	6.16	13	6 46	0 53	7 7	3.96	6.10	15	7 16	0 59	7 10	4.25	5.91
307.5	14	6 12	0 40	6 52	4.18	6.24	13	6 48	0 50	7 5	4.25	6.23	12	7 15	0 56	7 7	4.28	5.74
322.5	11	6 15	0 36	6 53	4.34	5.87	10	6 49	0 50	7 4	4.50	5.86	10	7 12	0 47	6 59	4.75	5.59
337.5	11	6 13	0 38	6 55	4.57	5.91	10	6 46	0 42	6 56	4.79	5.72	12	7 13	0 52	7 6	4.83	5.62
352.5	12	6 19	0 43	7 0	4.74	5.60	11	6 47	0 47	6 56	5.10	5.52	10	7 16	0 52	7 15	5.08	5.51
	291	6 14.0	0 44.6	7 0.2	4.47	5.96	289	6 46.0	0 52.6	7 7.0	4.51	5.85	278	7 14.8	0 56.4	7 11.6	4.64	5.55
ϕ	$(\psi - \psi') = 7h. 30m. \dots 8h. 0m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 8h. 0m. \dots 8h. 30m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 8h. 30m. \dots 8h. 0m.$					
	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_2	λ_4	H_2	H_4	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_2	λ_4	H_2	H_4	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_2	λ_4	H_2	H_4
$^{\circ}$		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>ft.</i>	<i>ft.</i>		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>ft.</i>	<i>ft.</i>		<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>ft.</i>	<i>ft.</i>
7.5	10	7 41	0 57	7 13	5.37	5.36	11	8 17	1 2	7 19	5.26	5.08	10	8 44	0 56	7 12	5.82	4.53
22.5	11	7 47	1 4	7 21	5.31	5.35	11	8 17	1 3	7 19	5.64	4.88	11	8 45	1 6	7 18	5.31	4.83
37.5	10	7 45	1 1	7 24	5.69	5.16	12	8 14	1 6	7 22	5.69	5.37	9	8 48	1 4	7 21	6.25	4.46
52.5	9	7 43	1 2	7 27	4.93	5.40	12	8 17	1 2	7 24	5.71	4.47	12	8 46	1 7	7 20	5.46	5.23
67.5	9	7 44	1 2	7 25	5.57	5.33	11	8 13	1 1	7 22	5.57	4.93	9	8 45	1 2	7 31	5.23	5.05
82.5	11	7 42	1 5	7 30	5.18	5.57	11	8 14	1 3	7 24	5.32	5.26	11	8 44	1 9	7 25	5.65	5.10
97.5	13	7 47	1 0	7 19	5.02	4.93	13	8 14	1 2	7 21	5.16	5.21	10	8 44	1 3	7 19	5.18	4.80
112.5	13	7 44	0 55	7 15	4.79	5.45	15	8 12	0 57	7 13	5.27	4.97	12	8 49	1 1	7 20	5.17	4.90
127.5	12	7 49	0 54	7 9	4.83	5.90	13	8 17	0 56	7 12	5.14	4.97	13	8 48	0 58	7 18	5.15	5.01
142.5	12	7 46	0 52	7 10	4.94	5.50	13	8 15	0 57	7 11	5.21	5.41	12	8 44	1 2	7 17	5.07	5.43
157.5	12	7 45	0 59	7 11	4.87	5.63	11	8 12	0 58	7 12	4.61	5.66	13	8 48	0 56	7 8	5.13	5.18
172.5	11	7 47	0 58	7 9	4.95	5.28	12	8 15	1 7	7 12	5.00	5.61	13	8 43	1 3	7 15	5.08	5.28
187.5	11	7 44	1 0	7 13	4.73	5.53	11	8 13	1 9	7 16	4.78	5.62	13	8 46	1 12	7 18	4.82	5.34
202.5	9	7 47	1 13	7 21	4.45	5.50	12	8 12	1 9	7 18	4.55	5.60	12	8 44	1 11	7 16	4.73	5.32
217.5	11	7 43	1 12	7 21	4.46	5.74	11	8 18	1 12	7 20	4.49	5.40	12	8 49	1 17	7 24	4.62	5.44
232.5	11	7 46	1 17	7 24	4.17	5.72	11	8 14	1 17	7 23	4.36	5.79	11	8 46	1 16	7 24	4.26	5.52
247.5	12	7 44	1 16	7 22	4.24	6.00	10	8 16	1 10	7 16	4.31	5.48	12	8 46	1 12	7 21	4.51	5.46
262.5	11	7 48	1 9	7 22	4.35	5.67	12	8 13	1 14	7 21	4.09	5.40	10	8 44	1 13	7 22	4.64	5.51
277.5	11	7 47	1 11	7 20	3.67	5.74	11	8 15	1 9	7 19	4.14	5.52	13	8 49	1 15	7 19	4.14	5.40
292.5	13	7 46	1 5	7 12	4.48	5.84	13	8 13	1 7	7 19	4.58	5.57	13	8 43	1 5	7 13	4.44	5.29
307.5	11	7 45	1 3	7 13	4.63	5.49	13	8 9	1 9	7 16	4.65	5.53	13	8 46	1 6	7 14	4.99	5.20
322.5	15	7 45	0 57	7 11	4.88	5.77	14	8 15	1 0	7 13	4.86	5.42	11	8 48	1 1	7 13	4.79	4.87
337.5	13	7 43	0 51	7 5	5.10	5.36	13	8 17	0 57	7 13	5.00	5.24	10	8 46	0 55	7 12	5.37	4.64
352.5	12	7 46	0 57	7 12	4.97	5.21	11	8 17	1 1	7 15	5.37	5.00	10	8 46	0 56	7 15	5.59	4.81
	273	7 45.2	1 2.5	7 17.0	4.81	5.52	267	8 14.6	1 4.6	7 17.5	4.95	5.31	275	8 45.9	1 5.4	7 18.2	5.06	5.10

TABLE II.—Containing average values belonging to the Arguments $(\psi - \psi') = \frac{1}{2} \eta_1$ and $\phi = \frac{1}{2} \eta_2$ —Continued.

LOWER TRANSITS.

ϕ	$(\psi - \psi') = 9h. 0m. \dots 9h. 30m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 9h. 30m. \dots 10h. 0m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 10h. 0m. \dots 10h. 30m.$					
	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_2	λ_4	H_3	H_4	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_2	λ_4	H_3	H_4	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_2	λ_4	H_3	H_4
ϕ	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$
7.5	13 9 13	1 4	7 20	5.85	4.74	13 9 48	0 57	7 13	5.80	4.53	12 10 20	0 56	7 7	5.92	4.30			
22.5	10 9 15	1 0	7 19	5.75	4.28	12 9 49	1 2	7 16	5.67	4.88	12 10 16	0 54	7 8	6.28	3.91			
37.5	11 9 15	1 1	7 20	5.63	4.77	10 9 46	0 59	7 14	5.90	4.30	9 10 13	1 2	7 19	5.93	4.42			
52.5	11 9 16	1 7	7 25	5.80	4.71	8 9 49	1 3	7 17	5.80	4.57	9 10 14	0 58	7 18	6.53	4.06			
67.5	14 9 14	1 3	7 23	5.82	4.73	11 9 44	1 0	7 18	6.03	4.46	10 10 14	0 57	7 18	6.07	4.83			
82.5	11 9 13	0 51	7 13	5.87	4.12	11 9 49	0 56	7 18	6.06	4.79	10 10 16	0 53	7 13	6.10	4.10			
97.5	10 9 16	0 58	7 15	5.35	4.85	9 9 44	0 58	7 17	5.94	4.87	10 10 12	0 52	7 15	6.00	4.20			
112.5	11 9 17	0 55	7 15	5.97	4.53	9 9 44	0 59	7 12	5.86	4.41	11 10 13	0 44	7 6	5.80	4.49			
127.5	12 9 14	0 56	7 12	5.89	4.58	13 9 44	0 58	7 13	5.36	4.71	15 10 17	0 51	7 7	5.95	4.27			
142.5	14 9 13	0 57	7 11	5.26	4.68	12 9 47	0 58	7 11	5.58	4.80	10 10 12	0 51	7 6	5.97	4.52			
157.5	12 9 17	1 3	7 13	5.33	5.23	12 9 47	1 1	7 11	5.42	4.86	11 10 10	0 52	7 6	5.63	4.57			
172.5	12 9 17	1 7	7 16	5.14	5.51	12 9 46	0 58	7 9	5.47	4.76	13 10 14	0 57	7 6	5.66	4.96			
187.5	11 9 19	1 7	7 17	5.44	5.15	10 9 42	1 7	7 16	5.38	5.07	11 10 13	1 2	7 10	5.48	4.97			
202.5	10 9 21	1 10	7 19	5.04	5.01	11 9 42	1 10	7 16	5.13	5.17	13 10 14	1 9	7 14	5.23	5.31			
217.5	9 9 17	1 14	7 20	5.03	5.21	11 9 48	1 9	7 15	5.15	5.38	12 10 16	1 5	7 12	5.36	5.11			
232.5	10 9 18	1 14	7 21	4.87	5.10	10 9 43	1 6	7 13	4.74	5.18	11 10 13	1 9	7 14	5.10	5.38			
247.5	9 9 16	1 14	7 21	4.69	5.25	10 9 46	1 18	7 20	4.75	5.58	12 10 17	1 3	7 9	4.98	5.16			
262.5	12 9 18	1 11	7 17	4.46	5.41	11 9 45	1 9	7 13	4.85	5.12	10 10 14	1 10	7 15	5.03	5.29			
277.5	11 9 15	1 7	7 13	4.87	4.93	10 9 49	1 8	7 11	4.64	5.19	11 10 19	0 56	7 3	4.74	5.18			
292.5	12 9 14	1 7	7 16	4.55	5.09	11 9 44	1 7	7 13	4.39	4.95	10 10 14	1 0	7 6	5.14	4.64			
307.5	12 9 17	1 3	7 13	5.22	5.10	12 9 45	0 58	7 9	5.18	4.87	14 10 15	0 54	7 3	5.08	4.78			
322.5	9 9 15	0 58	7 10	5.40	4.73	13 9 44	1 4	7 12	5.33	4.87	13 10 13	0 54	7 5	5.46	4.48			
337.5	13 9 13	1 0	7 13	5.45	4.91	14 9 41	0 57	7 11	6.25	4.80	13 10 15	0 57	7 8	5.47	4.68			
351.5	13 9 9	1 0	7 14	5.63	4.92	13 9 43	0 59	7 13	5.51	4.89	13 10 18	0 53	7 5	5.77	4.39			
	272 9 15.5	1 3.6	7 16.5	5.34	4.90	268 9 55.4	1 2.6	7 13.8	5.42	4.88	276 10 14.7	0 57.4	7 9.7	5.61	4.67			

ϕ	$(\psi - \psi') = 10h. 30m. \dots 11h. 0m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 11h. 0m. \dots 11h. 30m.$						$(\psi - \psi') = 11h. 30m. \dots 12h. 0m.$					
	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_2	λ_4	H_3	H_4	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_2	λ_4	H_3	H_4	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_2	λ_4	H_3	H_4
ϕ	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$	$h. m.$
7.5	9 10 45	0 49	7 4	6.13	4.42	12 11 11	0 51	7 3	6.04	4.49	13 11 44	0 42	6 55	6.01	4.04			
22.5	11 10 42	0 52	7 4	6.26	4.06	12 11 11	0 52	7 4	6.08	4.25	13 11 50	0 42	6 57	6.18	4.70			
37.5	13 10 51	0 55	7 9	5.94	4.15	16 11 15	0 49	7 5	6.09	4.32	14 11 50	0 45	6 59	6.22	4.33			
52.5	10 10 44	0 50	7 10	5.94	3.98	9 11 20	0 49	7 3	5.93	4.24	9 11 48	0 41	6 57	6.04	4.01			
67.5	8 10 46	0 53	7 13	6.17	4.51	11 11 14	0 50	7 6	6.04	4.45	11 11 42	0 44	7 3	6.26	3.96			
82.5	11 10 46	0 54	7 12	6.18	4.32	10 11 16	0 46	7 0	6.15	4.24	9 11 48	0 49	7 3	6.09	4.31			
97.5	12 10 45	0 45	7 3	5.84	4.60	12 11 18	0 46	6 57	6.06	4.18	12 11 45	0 38	6 55	6.31	4.25			
112.5	10 10 46	0 48	7 6	6.02	4.51	10 11 15	0 40	6 56	5.95	4.26	9 11 42	0 32	6 51	6.14	4.12			
127.5	9 10 47	0 45	7 3	5.85	4.09	10 11 10	0 44	6 58	6.23	4.05	12 11 43	0 38	6 54	5.92	4.32			
142.5	11 10 40	0 50	7 3	5.75	4.51	13 11 12	0 43	6 57	5.95	4.19	14 11 46	0 40	6 52	5.79	4.30			
157.5	15 10 45	0 51	7 1	5.99	4.59	13 11 16	0 42	6 57	5.87	4.41	12 11 49	0 42	6 56	5.66	4.40			
172.5	12 10 44	0 59	7 3	5.21	4.65	13 11 18	0 52	6 59	5.60	4.73	11 11 45	0 45	6 52	5.84	4.37			
187.5	14 10 45	0 59	7 7	5.35	4.74	13 11 16	0 54	7 1	5.48	4.76	13 11 44	0 47	6 54	5.47	4.31			
202.5	11 10 46	1 2	7 7	5.29	5.19	11 11 19	0 58	7 4	5.48	5.25	9 11 44	0 51	6 59	5.67	4.55			
217.5	12 10 50	1 5	7 10	5.08	5.17	11 11 14	0 58	7 4	5.28	5.40	12 11 41	0 53	7 1	5.31	4.76			
232.5	10 10 43	1 0	7 8	5.31	5.14	12 11 12	1 1	7 5	5.28	5.10	13 11 43	0 54	7 0	4.99	5.40			
247.5	9 10 47	1 0	7 8	4.80	5.09	11 11 16	0 56	7 1	5.33	5.31	11 11 47	0 52	6 59	5.18	5.38			
262.5	11 10 46	0 58	7 4	5.26	5.02	12 11 15	0 56	7 1	4.89	4.80	9 11 48	0 48	6 54	5.02	5.12			
277.5	10 10 48	0 58	7 3	4.92	5.57	11 11 16	0 51	6 59	4.96	5.22	12 11 45	0 46	6 51	5.15	4.68			
292.5	9 10 44	0 54	6 58	4.98	5.00	11 11 18	0 44	6 53	5.10	4.81	9 11 46	0 43	6 46	4.88	5.15			
307.5	11 10 43	0 50	6 59	4.99	4.73	10 11 14	0 50	6 56	5.56	4.41	8 11 48	0 45	6 45	5.30	4.68			
322.5	13 10 45	0 52	6 57	5.48	4.71	13 11 18	0 46	6 53	5.21	4.33	10 11 47	0 39	6 50	5.46	4.49			
337.5	12 10 47	0 52	7 1	5.49	4.28	13 11 18	0 46	6 56	5.73	4.08	12 11 39	0 41	6 51	5.85	4.31			
352.5	11 10 49	0 50	7 2	5.91	4.33	11 11 15	0 50	6 58	6.00	3.88	12 11 42	0 43	6 53	5.49	4.14			
	264 10 45.5	0 53.8	7 4.8	5.59	4.64	280 11 15.1	0 47.2	6 59.8	5.68	4.55	269 11 45.8	0 44.2	6 54.8	5.68	4.50			

TABLE III—Containing average values belonging to the Arguments $(\psi - \psi') = \frac{1}{2} \eta_1$ and η_2

COMBINED TRANSITS.

$(\psi - \psi')$	$\eta_2 = 15^\circ$					$\eta_2 = 30^\circ$					$\eta_2 = 45^\circ$					$\eta_2 = 60^\circ$				
	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2
	λ m.	λ m.	λ m.	Pt.	Pt.	λ m.	λ m.	Pt.	Pt.	λ m.	λ m.	Pt.	Pt.	λ m.	λ m.	Pt.	Pt.	Pt.	Pt.	Pt.
0 15	21	0 40	6 51	6.51	3.52	21	0 34	6 45	6.38	3.57	20	0 37	6 49	6.67	3.65	23	0 39	6 52	6.43	3.79
0 45	23	0 32	6 46	6.33	3.49	22	0 35	6 46	6.54	3.45	20	0 35	6 47	6.50	3.59	20	0 33	6 45	6.43	3.77
1 15	23	0 30	6 42	6.32	3.73	21	0 33	6 46	6.22	3.56	23	0 29	6 42	6.27	3.76	22	0 32	6 46	6.28	3.93
1 45	22	0 27	6 38	6.15	4.09	22	0 31	6 44	6.10	3.83	23	0 28	6 42	6.04	3.87	20	0 27	6 41	6.15	4.20
2 15	21	0 24	6 37	6.15	4.15	23	0 23	6 37	5.93	4.30	26	0 27	6 41	6.01	4.18	21	0 26	6 38	5.79	4.31
2 45	23	0 20	6 34	5.59	4.46	23	0 21	6 34	5.85	4.45	20	0 24	6 37	5.69	4.50	22	0 25	6 38	5.70	4.56
3 15	24	0 20	6 35	5.62	4.88	22	0 23	6 38	5.64	4.56	24	0 20	6 36	5.67	4.67	24	0 21	6 36	5.52	4.74
3 45	24	0 19	6 35	5.43	5.03	23	0 21	6 37	5.45	4.89	23	0 22	6 38	5.49	4.96	23	0 23	6 36	5.32	5.01
4 15	23	0 23	6 40	5.38	5.07	25	0 21	6 35	5.39	5.25	25	0 25	6 43	5.32	4.95	24	0 26	6 42	5.23	5.11
4 45	25	0 24	6 40	5.15	5.34	23	0 29	6 44	5.21	5.23	23	0 27	6 43	5.03	5.22	24	0 29	6 46	5.03	5.31
5 15	25	0 28	6 43	4.99	5.33	24	0 28	6 47	5.35	5.23	24	0 33	6 51	5.19	5.39	24	0 33	6 42	5.06	5.47
5 45	26	0 35	6 51	5.15	5.51	22	0 36	6 53	5.04	5.33	23	0 39	6 55	5.17	5.36	24	0 40	6 57	4.97	5.37
6 15	26	0 38	6 58	5.31	5.58	25	0 41	6 56	5.15	5.16	25	0 40	6 57	5.14	5.38	27	0 43	7 1	5.06	5.40
6 45	24	0 45	6 58	5.24	5.09	23	0 44	7 1	4.99	5.11	23	0 46	7 5	5.28	5.24	28	0 49	7 6	5.13	5.23
7 15	26	0 49	7 7	5.37	4.77	25	0 49	7 7	5.27	4.97	26	0 52	7 14	5.16	4.84	25	0 53	7 14	5.07	4.99
7 45	22	0 53	7 11	5.78	5.03	22	0 55	7 10	5.44	4.64	24	0 57	7 11	5.12	4.83	25	0 58	7 13	5.29	4.95
8 15	24	0 56	7 11	5.64	4.73	24	0 57	7 12	5.70	4.30	23	0 56	7 11	5.02	4.30	22	0 58	7 14	5.40	4.80
8 45	23	0 57	7 10	6.13	4.18	23	0 58	7 14	6.08	4.41	26	0 59	7 11	5.78	4.44	23	0 58	7 10	5.60	4.58
9 15	23	0 56	7 8	6.21	4.12	22	0 58	7 11	6.22	4.18	22	0 57	7 12	6.14	4.11	22	0 59	7 14	6.00	4.07
9 45	22	0 54	7 6	6.64	3.88	23	0 54	7 9	6.51	3.87	22	0 58	7 11	6.33	4.08	21	0 58	7 9	6.07	4.22
10 15	24	0 52	7 4	6.46	3.87	22	0 52	7 5	6.45	3.79	22	0 54	7 6	6.40	3.90	22	0 52	7 7	6.53	3.98
10 45	25	0 47	7 0	6.59	3.46	21	0 47	7 1	6.79	3.82	24	0 50	7 3	6.85	3.78	19	0 52	7 7	6.47	3.84
11 15	21	0 44	6 56	6.61	3.47	23	0 45	6 56	6.70	3.39	23	0 46	6 57	6.74	3.58	22	0 42	7 2	6.62	3.89
11 45	21	0 37	6 50	6.57	3.48	22	0 42	6 56	6.78	3.32	21	0 41	6 54	6.80	3.56	25	0 43	6 57	6.37	3.76
	561	0 37.9	6 52.3	5 89.4	4 42.6	546	0 39.0	6 53.6	5 882	4 37.7	555	0 40.1	6 54.8	5 850	4 42.1	552	0 40.8	6 56.0	5 771	4 554

$(\psi - \psi')$	$\eta_2 = 75^\circ$					$\eta_2 = 90^\circ$					$\eta_2 = 105^\circ$					$\eta_2 = 120^\circ$				
	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2
	λ m.	λ m.	λ m.	Pt.	Pt.	λ m.	λ m.	Pt.	Pt.	λ m.	λ m.	Pt.	Pt.	λ m.	λ m.	Pt.	Pt.	Pt.	Pt.	Pt.
0 15	21	0 42	6 52	6.31	4.13	23	0 38	6 50	6.05	4.10	21	0 37	6 48	5.74	4.21	22	0 40	6 52	5.53	4.82
0 45	23	0 35	6 48	6.23	4.01	21	0 38	6 44	5.92	4.49	20	0 33	6 45	5.43	4.30	23	0 33	6 44	5.55	4.64
1 15	22	0 31	6 43	6.18	4.14	20	0 32	6 46	5.88	4.42	23	0 30	6 42	5.64	4.59	18	0 32	6 43	5.25	4.59
1 45	24	0 28	6 41	5.90	4.28	22	0 28	6 39	5.76	4.45	22	0 26	6 36	5.44	4.89	22	0 28	6 41	5.33	5.06
2 15	22	0 25	6 38	5.80	4.42	22	0 26	6 40	5.66	4.85	24	0 28	6 39	5.40	4.99	24	0 27	6 39	5.34	5.35
2 45	25	0 21	6 36	5.58	4.72	22	0 24	6 34	5.50	4.83	22	0 23	6 36	5.48	5.25	17	0 24	6 35	5.16	5.42
3 15	20	0 22	6 36	5.37	5.04	23	0 25	6 37	5.25	5.01	23	0 22	6 38	5.31	5.26	22	0 21	6 34	5.09	5.69
3 45	23	0 22	6 40	5.33	4.99	22	0 24	6 42	5.09	5.39	23	0 24	6 37	4.98	5.51	24	0 23	6 37	4.97	5.84
4 15	22	0 26	6 40	5.09	5.35	20	0 28	6 41	5.00	5.45	24	0 28	6 44	4.79	5.31	23	0 27	6 40	4.74	5.93
4 45	25	0 29	6 44	4.83	5.32	23	0 32	6 48	4.88	5.77	22	0 33	6 48	4.69	5.84	21	0 32	6 44	4.56	6.04
5 15	22	0 35	6 51	4.67	5.52	27	0 34	6 50	4.75	5.68	25	0 26	6 51	4.71	5.83	24	0 36	6 52	4.47	5.97
5 45	24	0 41	7 0	4.93	5.50	23	0 44	6 59	4.83	5.67	21	0 42	6 58	4.45	5.96	22	0 46	7 2	4.49	6.11
6 15	22	0 48	7 3	4.80	5.48	23	0 48	7 5	4.71	6.00	26	0 48	7 4	4.67	5.96	24	0 52	7 6	4.41	6.15
6 45	24	0 42	7 9	5.03	5.22	25	0 53	7 8	4.73	5.54	22	0 57	7 12	4.81	5.84	23	0 55	7 13	4.63	5.99
7 15	26	0 57	7 14	4.95	5.12	24	0 58	7 15	4.75	5.38	26	0 58	7 14	4.64	5.52	25	1 6	7 19	4.62	5.88
7 45	25	0 57	7 12	5.21	4.99	22	1 2	7 20	5.13	5.17	25	1 4	7 19	4.68	5.54	24	1 5	7 21	4.83	5.65
8 15	24	1 1	7 18	5.46	4.84	24	1 4	7 21	5.04	4.90	25	1 7	7 21	4.93	5.17	22	1 9	7 22	4.61	5.33
8 45	26	1 2	7 16	5.40	4.97	22	1 6	7 18	5.30	4.90	26	1 5	7 18	4.98	5.04	25	1 10	7 22	4.87	5.23
9 15	24	1 0	7 12	5.79	4.53	24	1 5	7 17	5.43	4.84	23	1 7	7 19	5.16	4.92	23	1 7	7 18	4.95	5.21
9 45	23	0 56	7 10	5.73	4.18	23	1 0	7 12	5.77	4.67	22	1 3	7 15	5.48	4.62	24	1 3	7 18	5.21	4.92
10 15	21	0 55	7 8	6.23	3.91	25	0 54	7 8	5.90	4.38	24	0 58	7 6	5.58	4.68	22	1 1	7 13	5.04	4.88
10 45	21	0 50	7 2	6.14	3.94	23	0 51	7 3	5.86	3.99	22	0 52	7 4	5.66	4.53	24	0 56	7 7	5.59	4.90
11 15	21	0 47	6 58	6.30	4.03	22	0 47	6 57	6.01	4.11	25	0 51	7 2	5.83	4.56	24	0 51	7 2	5.44	4.65
11 45	21	0 45	6 57	6.33	3.99	23	0 41	6 54	5.90	4.03	23	0 44	6 54	5.90	4.36	23	0 46	6 58	5.69	4.69
	551	0 42.0	6 56.2	5 56.6	4 69.2	548	0 43.4	6 57.0	5 376	4 917	559	0 44.0	6 57.1	5 182	5 112	565	0 45.4	6 58.4	5 015	5 372

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TABLE III—Containing average values belonging to the Arguments $(\psi - \psi') = \eta_1$ and η_2 —Continued.

COMBINED TRANSITS.

$(\psi - \psi')$	$\eta_2 = 135^\circ$					$\eta_2 = 150^\circ$					$\eta_2 = 165^\circ$					$\eta_2 = 180^\circ$				
	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2
$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$
0 15	24	0 45	6 54	5.40	4.96	23	0 42	6 55	5.05	5.30	22	0 44	6 53	5.07	5.45	23	0 44	6 52	4.95	5.39
0 45	24	0 38	6 49	5.22	4.98	21	0 38	6 46	5.16	5.29	24	0 39	6 43	5.03	5.35	22	0 37	6 45	4.82	5.31
1 15	24	0 35	6 46	5.21	5.03	24	0 33	6 45	5.03	5.40	20	0 36	6 43	4.99	5.46	21	0 32	6 41	4.65	5.43
1 45	22	0 29	6 40	5.30	5.12	22	0 30	6 42	5.06	5.22	25	0 31	6 39	4.73	5.65	24	0 33	6 41	4.54	5.66
2 15	21	0 26	6 37	5.04	5.41	23	0 29	6 36	4.71	5.47	20	0 24	6 31	4.44	5.73	21	0 23	6 36	4.68	5.96
2 45	24	0 23	6 35	4.87	5.44	20	0 22	6 33	4.85	5.64	23	0 24	6 34	4.74	6.16	23	0 24	6 33	4.65	6.30
3 15	20	0 26	6 39	4.76	5.89	23	0 24	6 33	4.54	5.77	20	0 23	6 32	4.54	6.01	20	0 20	6 33	4.35	6.25
3 45	22	9 26	6 38	4.66	5.85	22	0 21	6 36	4.55	6.04	22	0 25	6 36	4.36	6.22	21	0 18	6 28	4.13	6.32
4 15	22	0 26	6 41	4.62	5.92	24	0 27	6 39	4.29	6.16	23	0 28	6 40	3.88	6.15	24	0 30	6 41	4.11	6.50
4 45	24	0 32	6 47	4.41	6.09	21	0 36	6 44	4.29	6.29	20	0 34	6 46	3.88	6.34	23	0 33	6 44	4.08	6.71
5 15	22	0 36	6 53	4.32	6.21	23	0 42	6 45	4.15	6.45	20	0 34	6 49	4.16	6.47	23	0 37	6 51	3.98	6.59
5 45	21	0 44	6 56	4.23	6.18	23	0 43	6 59	4.09	6.39	20	0 46	7 0	3.99	6.71	21	0 47	6 59	3.87	6.50
6 15	23	0 53	7 9	4.27	6.07	24	0 50	7 5	4.20	6.26	23	0 53	7 5	4.07	6.61	22	0 52	7 8	3.90	6.69
6 45	23	1 6	7 15	4.37	5.88	24	0 54	7 9	4.01	6.15	25	1 0	7 15	4.07	6.32	23	1 0	7 14	4.00	6.49
7 15	21	1 3	7 22	4.46	6.11	24	0 8	7 23	4.09	6.05	21	1 1	7 16	4.04	6.35	24	1 10	7 25	4.14	6.23
7 45	25	1 9	7 24	4.74	5.92	22	1 13	7 26	4.35	6.00	25	1 11	7 26	4.29	6.12	23	1 14	7 27	4.11	6.24
8 15	26	1 14	7 26	4.74	5.81	25	1 13	7 26	4.53	5.84	26	1 17	7 30	4.32	5.79	22	1 17	7 28	4.32	6.11
8 45	25	1 10	7 25	4.86	5.48	22	1 14	7 25	4.52	5.41	25	1 17	7 23	4.23	5.67	26	1 17	7 28	4.36	5.90
9 15	24	1 14	7 25	4.94	5.37	25	1 10	7 23	4.93	5.38	22	1 14	7 25	4.62	5.50	23	1 16	7 26	4.66	5.60
9 45	24	1 8	7 18	5.18	5.32	24	1 11	7 20	4.98	5.38	25	1 10	7 20	4.84	5.46	23	1 12	7 23	4.77	5.70
10 15	25	1 1	7 12	5.20	5.15	24	1 6	7 16	4.88	5.28	23	1 4	7 14	4.69	5.36	25	1 7	7 17	4.94	5.49
10 45	23	0 58	7 8	5.09	4.85	24	1 1	7 9	5.08	5.15	24	1 0	7 10	4.90	5.04	24	1 1	7 10	5.02	5.37
11 15	22	0 53	7 2	5.38	5.22	24	0 55	7 5	5.09	5.00	24	0 54	7 4	5.10	5.13	25	0 55	7 3	4.87	5.22
11 45	23	0 45	6 56	5.23	4.98	22	0 50	6 58	5.22	5.28	24	0 51	7 0	5.18	5.12	24	0 50	6 56	4.85	5.23
	554	0 47.5	6 59.9	4.854	5.552	553	0 47.8	6 59.5	4.652	5.692	546	0 48.3	6 58.9	4.515	5.840	550	0 48.7	6 59.5	4.448	5.966

$(\psi - \psi')$	$\eta_2 = 195^\circ$					$\eta_2 = 210^\circ$					$\eta_2 = 225^\circ$					$\eta_2 = 240^\circ$				
	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2
$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$
0 15	24	0 47	6 56	4.80	5.37	25	0 42	6 52	4.71	5.50	24	0 47	6 54	5.05	5.60	22	0 41	6 51	5.03	5.45
0 45	23	0 39	6 47	4.75	5.55	24	0 39	6 47	4.84	5.48	27	0 33	6 45	4.79	5.58	23	0 40	6 49	4.86	5.54
1 15	23	0 32	6 41	4.68	5.58	23	0 37	6 45	4.76	5.74	25	0 31	6 40	4.66	5.64	24	0 30	6 38	4.89	5.78
1 45	21	0 27	6 36	4.63	5.72	25	0 27	6 38	4.70	5.80	22	0 27	6 37	4.49	5.75	24	0 25	6 33	4.52	5.58
2 15	25	0 25	6 34	4.32	5.99	22	0 25	6 35	4.37	5.91	23	0 22	6 32	4.60	5.99	23	0 23	6 32	4.48	5.97
2 45	19	0 23	6 33	4.47	6.08	24	0 22	6 31	4.36	6.13	22	0 21	6 32	4.30	6.03	26	0 20	6 31	4.28	5.92
3 15	22	0 25	6 32	3.99	6.31	22	0 20	6 32	4.30	6.39	22	0 20	6 30	4.28	6.21	25	0 20	6 29	4.13	6.18
3 45	22	0 21	6 33	4.44	6.56	22	0 20	6 29	3.99	6.38	21	0 22	6 33	3.99	6.54	23	0 23	6 34	4.27	6.38
4 15	22	0 23	6 36	3.96	6.45	25	0 22	6 33	3.87	6.63	23	0 21	6 35	4.02	6.50	25	0 18	6 32	3.95	6.36
4 45	20	0 30	6 38	3.91	6.62	24	0 27	6 41	3.90	6.50	21	0 27	6 37	3.57	6.78	25	0 28	6 38	3.81	6.59
5 15	21	0 37	6 53	3.79	6.89	19	0 30	6 43	3.86	6.74	25	0 35	6 48	3.81	6.57	20	0 32	6 46	3.75	6.65
5 45	19	0 45	6 58	4.04	6.88	24	0 43	6 56	3.74	6.65	18	0 37	6 53	3.81	6.66	19	0 40	6 53	3.68	6.49
6 15	22	0 52	7 8	3.96	6.72	20	0 52	7 4	3.90	6.83	23	0 47	7 1	3.77	6.71	22	0 44	7 0	3.74	6.52
6 45	24	1 2	7 15	3.88	6.71	23	0 56	7 12	3.95	6.49	22	0 57	7 10	3.79	6.61	20	0 56	7 9	3.97	6.66
7 15	22	1 6	7 19	3.88	6.08	22	1 7	7 18	4.05	6.43	22	1 4	7 17	3.91	6.44	22	1 0	7 11	4.02	6.31
7 45	22	1 11	7 23	4.02	6.24	23	1 13	7 28	4.39	6.19	19	1 6	7 21	4.21	6.10	23	1 8	7 20	4.16	6.17
8 15	25	1 16	7 30	4.27	5.89	20	1 16	7 27	4.23	6.16	25	1 16	7 24	4.11	5.77	23	1 11	7 20	4.33	5.86
8 45	25	1 19	7 29	4.45	5.97	23	1 16	7 28	4.26	5.97	22	1 12	7 25	4.44	5.72	24	1 8	7 19	4.49	5.76
9 15	22	1 16	7 25	4.57	5.81	26	1 12	7 23	4.51	5.70	21	1 12	7 23	4.56	5.66	22	1 13	7 22	4.48	5.67
9 45	25	1 13	7 24	4.72	5.67	22	1 13	7 22	4.80	5.80	23	1 9	7 19	4.91	5.53	22	1 9	7 19	4.92	5.48
10 15	24	1 10	7 18	4.89	5.45	22	1 8	7 18	4.75	5.54	25	1 6	7 14	4.91	5.68	22	1 4	7 11	4.74	5.46
10 45	24	1 5	7 15	4.92	5.54	25	1 4	7 13	4.83	5.41	20	0 59	7 7	4.84	5.51	25	0 59	7 7	5.18	5.27
11 15	24	0 55	7 4	4.83	5.27	25	0 59	7 8	5.07	5.43	26	0 56	7 6	4.98	5.42	26	0 52	7 1	4.90	5.46
11 45	25	0 50	6 57	4.82	5.39	24	0 49	6 59	4.96	5.34	26	0 52	6 59	4.96	5.60	22	0 48	6 57	5.16	5.32
	545	0 48.7	6 59.3	4.374	6.014	555	0 47.5	6 58.4	4.379	6.047	547	0 45.8	6 56.7	4.398	6.025	552	0 44.7	6 55.2	4.406	5.953

TABLE III—Containing average values belonging to the Arguments $\psi - \psi' = \frac{1}{2} \eta_1$ and η_2 —Continued.

COMBINED TRANSITS.

$\psi - \psi'$	$\eta_2 = 255^\circ$					$\eta_2 = 270^\circ$					$\eta_2 = 285^\circ$					$\eta_2 = 300^\circ$				
	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2
<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>
0 15	24	0 43	6 53	5.14	5.25	25	0 41	6 48	5.23	4.99	22	0 35	6 48	5.17	4.76	21	0 38	6 49	5.43	4.63
0 45	23	0 36	6 46	4.79	5.32	23	0 33	6 42	5.18	5.09	24	0 32	6 43	5.17	5.12	24	0 31	6 42	5.47	4.70
1 15	24	0 32	6 41	5.00	5.44	24	0 30	6 40	5.04	5.25	23	0 24	6 36	5.24	5.09	21	0 27	6 37	5.52	4.90
1 45	24	0 26	6 36	4.85	5.59	25	0 23	6 32	4.97	5.39	23	0 23	6 32	5.01	5.90	24	0 23	6 34	5.39	5.17
2 15	23	0 23	6 33	4.64	5.70	27	0 22	6 30	4.72	5.65	22	0 19	6 29	5.04	5.46	25	0 21	6 30	5.07	5.33
2 45	24	0 18	6 28	4.49	5.96	24	0 21	6 31	4.64	5.89	25	0 20	6 30	5.08	5.86	21	0 14	6 29	5.18	5.46
3 15	24	0 18	6 27	4.12	5.99	25	0 12	6 24	4.51	5.96	25	0 15	6 26	4.55	5.92	23	0 15	6 26	4.86	5.66
3 45	25	0 16	6 30	4.10	6.15	24	0 18	6 29	4.15	6.18	26	0 15	6 26	4.56	5.94	26	0 16	6 31	4.65	5.79
4 15	24	0 20	6 33	3.96	6.47	25	0 19	6 31	4.17	6.19	23	0 18	6 31	4.35	6.09	25	0 18	6 29	4.33	5.95
4 45	24	0 24	6 34	4.00	6.44	23	0 25	6 40	4.04	6.45	24	0 20	6 33	4.25	6.23	22	0 19	6 34	4.34	5.90
5 15	24	0 31	6 42	3.83	6.46	24	0 26	6 41	4.02	6.35	25	0 30	6 45	4.10	6.15	25	0 25	6 42	4.41	6.08
5 45	24	0 37	6 51	3.82	6.63	22	0 34	6 48	4.19	6.45	24	0 36	6 50	4.25	6.34	24	0 31	6 45	4.32	6.02
6 15	21	0 40	6 56	3.73	6.41	25	0 43	6 57	4.40	6.43	21	0 37	6 54	4.22	6.23	23	0 40	6 54	4.29	5.88
6 45	22	0 52	7 6	3.94	6.38	25	0 49	7 2	4.18	6.25	23	0 47	7 1	4.23	6.08	23	0 47	7 1	4.72	5.91
7 15	22	0 59	7 15	4.31	6.03	22	0 56	7 7	4.13	6.28	23	0 48	7 5	4.40	5.70	26	0 48	7 5	4.54	5.72
7 45	19	1 1	7 14	4.30	6.14	20	1 0	7 18	4.51	5.72	22	0 58	7 9	4.63	5.64	22	0 53	7 6	4.74	5.26
8 15	21	1 9	7 21	4.63	5.94	22	1 5	7 17	4.76	5.70	22	1 1	7 14	4.74	5.50	22	0 59	7 10	4.98	5.15
8 45	22	1 9	7 20	4.67	5.62	22	1 4	7 17	4.76	5.58	25	1 4	7 15	5.01	5.41	19	0 56	7 15	5.09	5.05
9 15	22	1 4	7 14	4.64	5.44	24	1 5	7 16	5.12	5.39	20	1 5	7 13	5.27	5.08	22	1 0	7 12	5.25	4.88
9 45	22	1 1	7 12	4.76	5.38	22	1 0	7 10	5.18	5.12	22	0 59	7 11	5.26	5.02	23	0 59	7 9	5.56	4.62
10 15	22	1 2	7 11	5.07	5.00	21	0 56	7 6	5.20	5.32	21	0 55	7 5	5.41	4.82	23	0 55	7 6	5.62	4.64
10 45	21	0 55	7 5	4.94	5.13	22	0 55	7 4	5.28	5.13	22	0 51	7 1	5.44	4.97	24	0 50	7 0	5.74	4.60
11 15	23	0 51	7 0	5.08	5.10	23	0 48	6 58	3.14	4.66	23	0 46	6 55	5.45	4.86	21	0 46	6 58	5.88	4.53
11 45	25	0 47	6 56	5.24	5.15	19	0 42	6 50	5.02	4.70	23	0 41	6 51	5.34	4.80	21	0 40	6 51	5.70	4.71
	549	0 42.3	6.535	4.502	5.797	556	0 40.3	6.516	4.676	5.630	553	0 38.3	6.50.1	4.840	5.510	550	0 37.1	6.49.8	5.045	5.281

$\psi - \psi'$	$\eta_2 = 315^\circ$					$\eta_2 = 330^\circ$					$\eta_2 = 345^\circ$					$\eta_2 = 360^\circ$				
	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	Obs.	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2
<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>
0 15	23	0 35	6 48	5.73	4.54	20	0 34	6 46	6.13	4.05	24	0 36	6 46	6.15	3.89	22	0 37	6 50	6.32	3.56
0 45	22	0 30	6 40	5.77	4.30	20	0 32	6 41	5.99	4.27	24	0 32	6 44	6.36	4.02	21	0 35	6 47	6.31	3.79
1 15	25	0 26	6 39	5.46	4.39	20	0 26	6 38	5.84	4.53	27	0 29	6 41	5.99	4.21	20	0 31	6 43	6.12	3.79
1 45	23	0 24	6 36	5.37	4.63	23	0 25	6 37	5.84	4.52	24	0 24	6 36	5.86	4.51	23	0 26	6 37	6.16	4.23
2 15	23	0 18	6 30	5.40	5.10	25	0 18	6 32	5.42	4.77	24	0 20	6 33	5.80	4.68	23	0 23	6 36	6.02	4.49
2 45	23	0 18	6 28	5.10	5.35	23	0 19	6 30	5.12	5.03	22	0 18	6 32	5.07	4.45	24	0 22	6 37	5.81	4.70
3 15	23	0 15	6 26	4.89	5.45	24	0 15	6 29	5.22	5.45	21	0 14	6 25	5.49	5.05	24	0 21	6 34	5.58	4.93
3 45	21	0 14	6 29	5.03	5.59	25	0 17	6 28	4.84	5.52	22	0 18	6 33	5.32	5.53	25	0 18	6 31	5.16	5.00
4 15	24	0 17	6 30	4.64	5.63	26	0 16	6 30	4.91	5.52	24	0 21	6 35	5.01	5.33	25	0 20	6 33	5.08	5.21
4 45	26	0 21	6 36	4.38	5.87	22	0 22	6 35	4.56	5.62	25	0 23	6 38	4.83	5.58	22	0 25	6 38	5.00	5.50
5 15	26	0 24	6 41	4.54	5.91	23	0 25	6 41	4.65	5.65	27	0 26	6 41	4.84	5.43	24	0 29	6 44	4.91	5.54
5 45	23	0 31	6 45	4.49	5.70	23	0 33	6 50	4.64	5.80	25	0 30	6 46	4.88	5.52	26	0 32	6 48	4.97	5.47
6 15	24	0 37	6 53	4.47	5.75	23	0 38	6 52	4.73	5.42	22	0 38	6 45	4.99	5.40	23	0 38	6 55	5.24	5.24
6 45	22	0 46	7 1	4.62	5.55	24	0 41	6 58	4.86	5.41	24	0 43	6 59	4.94	5.28	21	0 43	6 58	5.28	5.08
7 15	24	0 47	7 1	4.81	5.34	24	0 47	7 5	5.03	5.16	23	0 47	7 2	5.18	5.14	23	0 44	7 2	5.37	5.07
7 45	24	0 53	7 9	5.12	5.37	23	0 53	7 5	5.22	4.91	23	0 51	7 8	5.51	4.92	25	0 53	7 8	5.46	4.86
8 15	24	0 56	7 11	5.23	4.90	22	0 55	7 6	5.31	4.78	24	0 51	7 6	5.51	4.45	24	0 55	7 9	5.71	4.50
8 45	23	0 55	7 8	5.30	4.71	24	0 56	7 12	5.66	4.46	21	0 55	7 7	5.67	4.40	22	0 56	7 8	5.91	4.28
9 15	21	0 55	7 8	5.55	4.36	23	0 53	7 7	5.62	4.36	22	0 53	7 7	5.86	3.98	22	0 53	7 6	6.00	4.09
9 45	19	0 54	7 7	5.80	4.36	23	0 52	7 4	5.92	4.15	23	0 52	7 5	6.21	3.88	22	0 53	7 5	6.20	3.78
10 15	21	0 54	7 5	5.56	4.35	20	0 48	7 2	6.04	3.87	23	0 49	7 2	6.11	3.89	22	0 47	7 3	6.58	3.78
10 45	22	0 46	7 0	6.06	4.03	22	0 43	7 0	6.07	4.16	20	0 46	7 0	6.40	3.56	22	0 45	7 0	6.62	3.74
11 15	22	0 45	6 55	6.04	4.40	22	0 41	6 53	6.07	3.87	20	0 43	6 55	6.24	3.60	23	0 46	6 58	6.41	3.59
11 45	24	0 41	6 50	5.81	4.22	22	0 41	6 53	6.10	3.96	22	0 38	6 49	6.31	3.61	23	0 41	6 54	6.61	3.31
	554	0 35.9	6.49.0	5.215	4.992	546	0 35.4	6.48.9	5.408	4.80.2	556	0 35.7	6.49.4	5.605	4.593	551	0 37.2	6.51.0	5.772	4.489

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TABLE IV—Containing average values belonging to the Arguments $\phi' = \frac{1}{2} \eta$, and Ω , or to the month and year.

COMBINED TRANSITS.

Year.	JANUARY.				FEBRUARY.				MARCH.			
	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2
	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>
1848.....	0 38	6 52	4.87	5.03	0 41	6 55	5.25	5.29	0 38	6 53	5.05	5.04
1849.....	0 33	6 46	4.89	4.83	0 41	6 55	5.17	4.87	0 40	6 54	5.14	4.86
1850.....	0 38	6 54	5.37	5.27	0 39	6 54	5.10	5.06	0 41	6 55	5.16	4.99
1851.....	0 40	6 54	5.01	4.92	0 40	6 53	4.81	4.83	0 43	6 56	5.18	5.05
1852.....	0 41	6 54	5.00	5.44	0 36	6 50	4.83	4.94	0 40	6 55	4.93	4.01
1853.....	0 31	6 46	5.57	5.67	0 38	6 53	5.19	5.15	0 32	6 45	5.07	4.88
1854.....	0 33	6 47	4.89	4.97	0 37	6 51	4.70	5.24	0 35	6 49	4.78	4.78
1855.....	0 35	6 48	4.97	5.28	0 39	6 58	5.20	5.16	0 44	6 56	4.96	5.01
1856.....	0 35	6 48	5.14	5.63	0 31	6 44	4.81	5.18	0 36	6 50	4.77	5.01
1857.....	0 34	6 46	5.21	5.43	0 42	6 54	4.69	5.25	0 40	6 53	4.88	4.88
1858.....	0 39	6 53	4.74	5.33	0 48	6 52	4.36	5.12	0 41	6 54	4.75	4.92
1859.....	0 34	6 50	4.69	5.24	0 35	6 51	4.89	5.31	0 40	6 54	4.90	5.44
1860.....	0 36	6 50	4.53	5.21	0 40	6 53	4.50	4.96	0 39	6 54	4.74	5.05
1861.....	0 38	6 53	5.01	5.30	0 41	6 55	4.61	4.94	0 38	6 52	4.98	5.04
1862.....	0 42	6 54	4.88	5.12	0 37	6 48	5.02	5.46	0 41	6 53	5.37	5.47
1863.....	0 42	6 52	4.64	5.14	0 40	6 49	4.54	4.89	0 45	6 55	4.66	5.11
1864.....	0 44	6 56	4.23	4.90	0 47	6 57	4.48	4.66	0 45	6 57	5.17	5.56
1865.....	0 39	6 42	5.21	4.96	0 53	6 47	5.21	5.12	0 44	6 54	5.12	4.95
1866.....	0 49	7 3	4.98	4.95	0 59	6 55	4.44	4.61	0 43	6 55	4.66	5.21
Mean.....	0 37.9	6 51.0	4.933	5.190	0 40.7	6 52.3	4.841	5.060	0 40.8	6 53.4	4.962	5.058

Year.	APRIL.				MAY.				JUNE.			
	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2
	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>
1848.....	0 41	6 54	5.05	4.90	0 43	6 55	5.39	5.08	0 45	6 57	5.45	5.17
1849.....	0 44	6 56	4.92	4.70	0 46	6 58	5.10	5.07	0 50	7 0	5.39	5.41
1850.....	0 40	6 53	5.12	4.88	0 42	6 54	5.06	5.21	0 48	6 58	5.69	5.12
1851.....	0 46	6 57	5.31	5.33	0 43	6 54	4.98	5.09	0 45	6 54	5.19	5.43
1852.....	0 41	6 54	5.63	5.39	0 42	6 54	5.13	4.99	0 45	6 58	4.99	5.17
1853.....	0 39	6 52	5.00	4.97	0 42	6 54	5.05	5.16	0 45	6 56	5.02	5.07
1854.....	0 41	6 54	4.99	5.03	0 43	6 55	4.76	5.16	0 46	6 59	5.01	5.47
1855.....	0 42	6 55	4.81	4.95	0 42	6 54	5.15	5.46	0 42	6 56	4.93	5.34
1856.....	0 40	6 54	4.79	5.19	0 41	6 53	5.00	5.43	0 44	6 56	4.90	5.43
1857.....	0 39	6 51	5.08	5.36	0 43	6 57	4.89	5.24	0 49	7 1	5.10	5.45
1858.....	0 34	6 56	4.72	5.34	0 46	6 57	4.72	5.36	0 46	6 56	4.82	5.34
1859.....	0 39	6 51	4.89	6.31	0 40	6 52	4.88	5.11	0 41	6 51	4.83	4.93
1860.....	0 38	6 53	4.75	5.06	0 45	6 56	4.97	5.06	0 47	6 58	5.19	4.35
1861.....	0 44	6 56	5.36	5.42	0 42	6 54	5.18	5.34	0 45	6 56	4.98	5.28
1862.....	0 43	6 56	4.85	5.11	0 46	6 59	4.92	5.30	0 46	6 59	5.18	5.42
1863.....	0 37	6 48	4.96	5.36	0 45	6 55	5.21	5.46	0 49	6 58	5.20	5.34
1864.....	0 45	6 57	5.79	5.69	0 42	6 56	5.37	5.35	0 43	6 58	5.13	5.12
1865.....	0 46	6 59	5.14	5.12	0 47	7 0	5.46	5.58	0 51	7 6	5.19	5.25
1866.....	0 38	6 52	4.85	5.25	0 44	6 57	5.21	5.35	0 47	7 1	5.12	5.18
Mean.....	0 41.4	6 54.1	5.000	5.177	0 43.4	6 55.5	5.075	5.253	0 46.0	6 57.8	5.090	5.225

TABLE IV—Containing average values belonging to the Arguments $\phi' = \frac{1}{2} \eta_6$ and Ω , or to the month and year—Continued.

COMBINED TRANSITS.

Year.	JULY.				AUGUST.				SEPTEMBER.			
	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2
	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>
1847.....	0 43	6 57	5.28	5.06	0 44	6 56	5.35	4.93	0 46	6 58	5.40	5.35
1848.....	0 49	7 1	5.32	5.19	0 48	6 59	5.29	5.14	0 46	6 59	5.28	5.50
1849.....	0 54	7 3	5.09	5.24	0 54	7 5	5.39	5.43	0 48	6 59	5.27	5.37
1850.....	0 45	6 55	5.20	5.22	0 48	6 56	5.38	5.35	0 46	6 57	5.37	5.35
1851.....	0 45	6 57	5.37	5.36	0 45	6 55	5.33	5.18	0 46	6 57	5.23	5.22
1852.....	0 47	6 59	4.95	5.11	0 48	7 0	5.09	5.23	0 48	6 58	5.35	5.49
1853.....	0 47	6 58	5.04	5.43	0 48	6 57	5.16	5.86	0 42	6 55	5.07	5.63
1854.....	0 44	6 55	4.87	5.28	0 43	6 54	5.00	5.39	0 43	6 55	5.03	5.52
1855.....	0 45	6 57	5.09	5.28	0 42	6 54	5.15	5.42	0 42	6 55	5.17	5.20
1856.....	0 46	6 54	5.05	5.56	0 44	6 57	5.29	5.91	0 42	6 53	5.47	5.73
1857.....	0 53	6 59	5.07	5.56	0 40	6 51	4.76	5.90	0 43	6 53	4.90	5.74
1858.....	0 46	6 56	5.02	5.45	0 46	6 54	5.03	5.33	0 43	6 53	4.87	5.33
1859.....	0 42	6 54	5.04	5.01	0 42	6 51	5.12	4.99	0 41	6 52	4.98	5.16
1860.....	0 49	7 2	4.94	5.24	0 44	6 56	4.96	5.17	0 45	6 57	4.75	5.05
1861.....	0 49	7 1	4.92	5.23	0 48	7 1	4.88	5.29	0 46	6 57	4.84	5.16
1862.....	0 49	7 1	5.20	5.44	0 47	6 58	5.00	5.16	0 43	6 55	4.91	5.06
1863.....	0 47	6 57	5.19	5.14	0 48	7 0	5.25	5.05	0 53	7 4	4.99	5.24
1864.....	0 49	7 3	5.01	5.19	0 54	7 10	4.88	4.90	0 47	7 3	4.94	5.13
1865.....	0 52	7 6	4.91	5.06	0 50	7 5	4.83	5.06	0 50	7 6	4.91	5.01
Mean.....	0 47.6	6 58.7	5.082	5.266	0 46.5	6 57.8	5.113	5.3.0	0 45.3	6 57.2	5.091	5.360

Year.	OCTOBER.				NOVEMBER.				DECEMBER.			
	λ'_1	λ'_1	H'_1	H'_2	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2
	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>	<i>Fl.</i>
1847.....	0 44	6 56	5.22	5.23	0 41	6 57	5.40	5.38	0 41	6 55	5.17	5.18
1848.....	0 44	6 57	5.30	5.72	0 40	6 54	5.07	5.39	0 37	6 52	5.23	5.48
1849.....	0 43	6 55	5.76	5.64	0 38	6 51	5.76	5.46	0 41	6 55	5.36	5.16
1850.....	0 41	6 52	5.21	5.25	0 40	6 53	5.16	5.18	0 41	6 54	5.30	5.21
1851.....	0 41	6 55	5.31	5.30	0 37	6 51	5.27	5.40	0 35	6 49	4.93	5.20
1852.....	0 40	6 53	5.31	5.85	0 42	6 55	5.34	5.68	0 32	6 47	5.30	5.45
1853.....	0 37	6 49	4.86	5.37	0 33	6 48	5.21	5.23	0 36	6 51	5.34	5.39
1854.....	0 38	6 43	5.09	5.70	0 38	6 51	5.19	5.52	0 40	6 54	5.03	5.26
1855.....	0 36	6 49	5.16	5.77	0 35	6 48	4.97	5.64	0 30	6 45	4.93	5.34
1856.....	0 41	6 53	5.17	5.80	0 45	6 47	5.17	5.71	0 41	6 42	5.21	5.25
1857.....	0 39	6 51	5.34	5.77	0 38	6 51	5.15	5.37	0 39	6 54	4.77	5.07
1858.....	0 38	6 50	5.02	5.62	0 37	6 49	5.38	5.37	0 38	6 36	4.90	5.25
1859.....	0 40	6 52	4.90	5.42	0 40	6 53	4.83	5.42	0 39	6 50	4.79	5.58
1860.....	0 44	6 56	4.83	5.18	0 43	6 57	5.08	5.63	0 40	6 54	4.93	5.37
1861.....	0 46	6 59	4.99	5.23	0 47	6 59	5.31	5.43	0 43	6 55	4.84	4.94
1862.....	0 43	6 53	5.00	5.28	0 44	6 52	4.97	5.16	0 42	6 53	4.72	5.00
1863.....	0 53	7 3	5.15	5.52	0 41	6 52	5.02	5.54	0 42	6 53	4.84	5.36
1864.....	0 48	7 2	5.05	5.26	0 41	6 57	5.14	5.12	0 36	6 49	5.10	5.10
1865.....	0 43	6 58	5.04	5.04	0 52	7 7	5.41	5.24	0 43	6 57	5.19	4.96
Mean.....	0 42.0	6 54.5	5.143	5.469	0 40.6	6 53.3	5.202	5.425	0 38.7	6 50.8	5.046	5.240

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27. From the footings of Tables I and II we get the following table of average values of all the observations contained within certain limits of the argument $(\psi - \psi')$, and corresponding to the given average of the argument. These values, consequently, are independent of the effects depending upon any of the other arguments, and their inequalities depend only upon the argument $(\psi - \psi')$.

TABLE V.

UPPER TRANSITS.						LOWER TRANSITS.						COMBINED TRANSITS.					
Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ_3	λ_4	H_3	H_4	Obs.	$(\psi - \psi')$	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2
	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.		h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.		h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.
273	0 15.2	0 40.3	6 50.3	5.63	4.58	277	0 15.7	0 40.4	6 50.8	5.64	4.62	550	0 15.4	0 40.3	6 50.5	5.63	4.60
275	0 44.8	0 34.6	6 44.5	5.51	4.71	275	0 45.2	0 35.1	6 45.9	5.59	4.69	550	0 45.0	0 34.8	6 45.2	5.55	4.70
264	1 14.4	0 30.9	6 41.4	5.46	4.73	263	1 14.7	0 30.6	6 42.3	5.46	4.84	527	1 14.6	0 30.8	6 41.8	5.46	4.78
285	1 44.4	0 26.4	6 37.4	5.31	4.85	274	1 44.8	0 27.1	6 37.9	5.36	4.94	559	1 44.6	0 26.7	6 37.6	5.33	4.85
283	2 15.6	0 23.9	6 34.4	5.20	5.19	279	2 14.6	0 22.8	6 34.0	5.14	5.17	562	2 15.1	0 23.4	6 34.2	5.17	5.18
269	2 44.6	0 20.7	6 32.4	5.05	5.32	268	2 44.6	0 21.3	6 33.4	5.09	5.33	537	2 44.6	0 21.0	6 32.9	5.07	5.32
260	3 15.8	0 19.8	6 31.8	4.92	5.55	285	3 14.5	0 19.4	6 31.4	4.89	5.55	565	3 15.2	0 19.6	6 31.6	4.90	5.55
280	3 44.2	0 20.3	6 32.6	4.74	5.71	281	3 45.6	0 20.3	6 33.9	4.74	5.73	561	3 44.9	0 20.3	6 33.2	4.74	5.72
283	4 15.9	0 23.2	6 36.7	4.58	5.88	283	4 14.8	0 22.6	6 36.3	4.58	5.81	566	4 15.3	0 22.9	6 36.5	4.58	5.85
283	4 44.8	0 26.4	6 40.0	4.50	5.91	272	4 45.8	0 27.6	6 42.2	4.48	5.99	555	4 45.3	0 27.0	6 41.1	4.49	5.95
283	5 15.6	0 32.3	6 47.8	4.48	5.97	273	5 14.3	0 32.0	6 47.2	4.48	5.99	556	5 15.0	0 32.1	6 47.5	4.48	5.96
288	5 44.3	0 37.9	6 52.8	4.46	6.06	271	5 45.0	0 39.1	6 53.8	4.39	6.00	559	5 44.7	0 38.5	6 53.3	4.43	6.03
276	6 15.5	0 45.9	7 0.9	4.46	6.03	291	6 14.0	0 44.6	7 0.2	4.47	5.96	567	6 14.7	0 45.3	7 0.6	4.46	6.00
283	6 44.2	0 50.8	7 6.3	4.54	5.79	289	6 46.0	0 52.6	7 7.0	4.51	5.85	572	6 45.1	0 51.7	7 6.6	4.49	5.68
271	7 15.4	0 58.4	7 13.1	4.62	5.72	278	7 14.8	0 56.4	7 11.6	4.64	5.55	549	7 15.1	0 57.4	7 12.4	4.63	5.63
284	7 44.2	1 1.0	7 16.1	4.84	5.49	273	7 45.2	1 2.5	7 17.0	4.81	5.52	557	7 44.7	1 1.7	7 16.5	4.82	5.50
281	8 15.8	1 5.9	7 18.6	4.87	5.33	287	8 14.6	1 4.6	7 17.5	4.95	5.31	568	8 15.2	1 5.3	7 18.0	4.91	5.32
280	8 44.5	1 4.8	7 17.1	5.22	5.06	275	8 45.9	1 5.4	7 18.2	5.06	5.10	555	8 45.2	1 5.1	7 17.6	5.14	5.08
282	9 15.2	1 4.8	7 16.2	5.21	4.94	272	9 15.5	1 3.6	7 16.5	5.34	4.90	554	9 15.3	1 4.2	7 16.3	5.27	4.92
276	9 44.9	1 1.5	7 12.9	5.49	4.79	268	9 45.4	1 2.6	7 13.8	5.42	4.88	544	9 45.1	1 2.0	7 13.3	5.46	4.83
275	10 15.0	0 59.1	7 9.8	5.50	4.80	276	10 14.7	0 57.4	7 9.7	5.61	4.67	551	10 14.9	0 58.2	7 9.8	5.55	4.73
280	10 44.3	0 53.7	7 4.3	5.72	4.58	264	10 45.5	0 53.8	7 4.8	5.59	4.64	544	10 44.9	0 53.7	7 4.5	5.66	4.61
278	11 15.3	0 49.0	6 59.7	5.68	4.50	280	11 15.1	0 47.2	6 59.8	5.68	4.55	558	11 15.2	0 48.1	6 59.7	5.68	4.53
268	11 45.1	0 45.4	6 55.3	5.67	4.58	269	11 45.7	0 44.2	6 54.8	5.68	4.50	537	11 44.7	0 44.8	6 55.0	5.67	4.54
Means..	0 42.37	6 54.67	5.070	5.257		Means..	0 42.28	6 55.00	5.062	5.257		Means..	0 42.29	6 54.84	5.066	5.257	

In the footings of this table the inequalities having the argument $(\psi - \psi')$ are also eliminated, and we have results belonging to the mean tide. Since the diurnal tide depends upon φ , it is also eliminated, and we have left only the constant part of the other oscillations.

With the preceding mean values of λ'_1 and λ'_2 , we get from (44), supplying the omitted constant of 2 days,

$$(56) \quad B_0 = \frac{1}{2}(2^d 0^h 42^m.29 + 2^d 6^h 54^m.84 - 6^h 12^m.62) = 2^d 0^h 42^m.25$$

which is the mean establishment of the port belonging to the assumed transit. In order to reduce this to the transit immediately preceding high water, we must add the constant part of k (34), putting $n=3$, and we thus get

$$B_0 = 2^d 0^h 42^m.25 - 1^d 13^h 13^m.14 = 0^d 11^h 26^m.53$$

From the first of (37) we get, since $L_2 = B_0$ in this case,

$$(57) \quad \begin{cases} q_1 = 0 \text{ } 42.37 - 0 \text{ } 42.25 = 0^m.12 \\ q_2 = 6 \text{ } 54.67 - 0 \text{ } 42.25 = \frac{1}{2}\pi - 0^m.20 \\ q_3 = 0 \text{ } 42.22 - 0 \text{ } 42.25 = -0^m.03 \\ q_4 = 6 \text{ } 55.00 - 0 \text{ } 42.25 = \frac{1}{2}\pi + 0^m.13 \end{cases}$$

in which $\pi = 12$ lunar hours or $12^h 25^m.24$ in solar time. Hence all the intervals between high and low and low and high waters in the mean tide are almost exactly one-fourth of a lunar day.

From the last two of (42) we get

$$(58) \quad \begin{cases} K_3 \cos 3 \lambda' = \frac{1}{2}(5.070 - 5.062) = .004 \\ K_3 \sin 3 \lambda' = \frac{1}{2}(5.257 - 5.257) = .000 \end{cases}$$

Hence $\lambda' = 0$ and $K_3 = .004$ ft. This is the value of the constant or mean tertio-diurnal tide, and may be regarded as falling within the limits of the errors of observation, and consequently insensible.

With the preceding values of K_3 , which is the constant and principal part of A_3 , and q_n , the terms in the first of (42) are entirely insensible. We therefore obtain from (45), with the preceding mean values of H'_1 and H'_2 ,

$$(59) \quad H'_0 = \frac{1}{2}(25.066 + 15.257) = 20.161 \text{ ft.}$$

for the mean height of the sea above the assumed zero of the tide-gauge. This, however, is not necessarily the same as the mean level obtained from observations made frequently at all times during the day, unless the tides follow the law of sines and cosines, or at least the parts above and below the mean level are symmetrical. It is simply the mean of the heights of high and low waters.

We obtain from the second of (42), since the terms depending upon K_3 are insensible,

$$(60) \quad K_2 = \frac{1}{2}(25.066 - 15.257) = 4.904 \text{ ft.}$$

for the coefficient of the average or mean semi-diurnal tide. Consequently the mean range is 9,808 ft.

With the preceding values of K_3 , λ'_1 , and K_2 , (43) gives

$$q_1 = 0, \quad q_2 = \frac{1}{2}\pi, \quad q_3 = -0^m.13, \quad q_4 = \frac{1}{2}\pi + 0^m.13$$

These values from the formulæ depending upon the heights are almost exactly the same as those obtained above from the observed times alone, (57).

THE SEMI-MONTHLY INEQUALITY.

28. If from each of the values of λ'_1 , in the preceding table, we subtract $B_0 + q_1 = 0^h 42^m.29$, omitting the constant two days, and from each value of λ'_2 we subtract $B_0 + q_2 - k = 6^h 54^m.84 + 0^m.4 \cos \gamma_1$, and call the differences δL , (46) and (47) will give, with these values of δL and the corresponding values of the argument $\gamma_1 = 2(\psi - \psi')$, forty-eight equations of condition of the form

$$\delta L = M_1 \sin \gamma_1 + N_1 \cos \gamma_1 + M_{10} \sin \gamma_{10} + N_{10} \cos \gamma_{10}$$

the angles γ_1 and γ_{10} being the only ones included in the same argument. The tabular values of γ_1 must be reduced to the time of low water for the twenty-four conditions obtained, from the low waters, by adding the mean change of γ_1 from high to low water, which in this case is $25^m.24 + 0^m.4 \cos \gamma_1$, the small term $0^m.4 \cos \gamma_1$ being an inequality in the moon's motion depending upon the argument of variation, which is the same as γ_1 or $2(\psi - \psi')$. With these forty-eight equations we obtain, by the method of least squares,

$$M_1 = -22^m.25, \quad N_1 = 0^m.01, \quad M_{10} = 1^m.96, \quad N_{10} = -0^m.37$$

These values satisfy the forty-eight conditions, with an average residual of $0^m.35$ and a maximum residual of $1^m.3$. The residuals do not indicate any sensible term depending upon $3\gamma_1$. With these values (48) gives

$$(60) \quad \begin{cases} B_1 = -22^m.5, & \epsilon_1 = 0^\circ \\ B_{10} = 2^m.0, & \epsilon_{10} = 5^\circ \end{cases}$$

These comprise the constants belonging to two of the terms of the expression of L_2 , (26).

From (28) we get

$$(61) \quad \tau_1 = B_0 = 2^d.03$$

for the age of the tide from the times.

If, from each value of H'_1 in the preceding table, we subtract $H'_0 + K_2 = 25.066$ ft., (59) and (60), and also from each value of H'_2 we subtract $H'_0 - K_2 = 15.257$ ft., and call the residuals δH , (50) gives forty-eight equations of the form

$$\delta H = K_0 (M_1 \cos \gamma_1 + N_1 \sin \gamma_1) \pm K_2 (M_1 \cos \gamma_1 + N_1 \sin \gamma_1 + M_{10} \cos \gamma_{10} + N_{10} \sin \gamma_{10})$$

in which the minus sign belongs to the conditions obtained from low waters, and the tabular values of γ_1 for these conditions must be reduced to the time of low water as above. With these conditions we obtain, by the method of least squares,

$$(62) \quad \begin{cases} K_0 M_1 = -0.059 \text{ ft.}, & K_2 M_1 = +0.670 \text{ ft.}, & K_2 M_{10} = -0.023 \text{ ft.} \\ K_0 N_1 = 0.000 \text{ ft.}, & K_2 N_1 = -0.124 \text{ ft.}, & K_2 N_{10} = +0.001 \text{ ft.} \end{cases}$$

These values satisfy the conditions with an average residual of .025 foot and a maximum of .06 foot. The residuals do not indicate any sensible term depending upon the angle $3\gamma_1$ in the oscillations of the third kind, as may be also inferred from theory.

With the preceding values (49) gives

$$(63) \quad \begin{cases} K_0 R_1 = -0.059 \text{ ft.}, & R_{(0,1)} = 0.504, & a_{(0,1)} = 0 \\ K_2 R_1 = +0.681 \text{ ft.}, & R_{(2,1)} = 0.1388, & a_{(2,1)} = -10^\circ 29' \\ K_2 R_{10} = -0.023 \text{ ft.}, & R_{(2,10)} = -0.0047, & a_{(2,10)} = -2^\circ \end{cases}$$

These are the constants of two of the terms in the expression of A_2 and of one of the terms of A_0 , (24).

In obtaining the values of R from $K R$ the values of K_0 and K_2 , (31) and (60), have been used. It will be remembered that R expresses the ratio of the inequality to the mean tide in each kind of oscillation. As the inequality $R_{(2,10)}$ of the second degree is scarcely sensible, it is not probable that there are sensible inequalities of the third degree.

From (28) we get, expressing the value of a_1 in terms of the radius,

$$(64) \quad \tau_1 = 2^d.03 - \frac{.183}{.426} = 1^d.60$$

for the age of the tide from the heights.

INEQUALITY DEPENDING UPON THE MOON'S MEAN ANOMALY.

29. From the footings of Table III we get the following table of average values of all the observations contained within the limits of each of the twenty-four equal divisions of γ_2 , in which the middle of the division is taken as the value of γ_2 belonging to the averages. In these footings the inequality depending upon $(\psi - \psi')$ is eliminated, and they consequently contain only the inequality depending upon γ_2 :

TABLE VI.

Obs.	γ_2	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2
	o	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Feet.</i>
561	15	0 37.9	6 52.3	5.894	4.426
546	30	0 39.0	6 53.6	5.882	4.378
555	45	0 40.1	6 54.8	5.850	4.422
552	60	0 40.8	6 56.0	5.771	4.554
551	75	0 42.0	6 56.2	5.506	4.692
548	90	0 43.4	6 57.0	5.376	4.917
559	105	0 44.0	6 57.1	5.192	5.112
565	120	0 45.0	6 58.4	5.015	5.372
554	135	0 47.5	6 59.9	4.854	5.552
553	150	0 47.8	6 59.5	4.652	5.692
546	165	0 48.3	6 58.9	4.515	5.840
550	180	0 48.7	6 59.5	4.448	5.966
545	195	0 48.7	6 59.3	4.374	6.014
555	210	0 47.5	6 58.4	4.379	6.047
547	225	0 45.8	6 56.7	4.396	6.025
552	240	0 44.7	6 55.2	4.406	5.953
549	255	0 42.3	6 53.5	4.502	5.797
556	270	0 40.3	6 51.6	4.676	5.630
553	285	0 38.3	6 50.1	4.840	5.510
550	300	0 37.1	6 49.8	5.045	5.281
554	315	0 35.9	6 49.0	5.215	4.992
546	330	0 35.4	6 48.9	5.408	4.802
556	345	0 35.7	6 49.4	5.605	4.593
551	360	0 37.2	6 51.0	5.772	4.480
13, 254	Means.	0 42.24	6 54.84	5.068	5.252

From the footings of this table the constants of the mean tide might also be obtained, as in the preceding case, but they would not differ sensibly, as may be seen by comparing the footings of the

two tables. If from each value of λ'_1 in the preceding table we subtract $B_0 + q_1 = 0^h 42^m.24$, as obtained from the preceding table, and from each value of λ'_2 we take $B_0 + q_2 - k = 6^h 54^m.84 + 1^m.5 \cos \gamma_2$, putting δL for the residuals, (46) and (47) give forty-eight equations of the form

$$\delta L = M_2 \sin \gamma_2 + N_2 \cos \gamma_2 + M_{11} \sin \gamma_{11} + N_{11} \cos \gamma_{11}$$

the angles γ_2 and γ_{11} being included in the same argument. In this case the value of k (34) includes the constant and the inequality depending upon γ_2 , the value of n being $\frac{1}{2}$ as before. In this case, to obtain the values of γ_2 belonging to low water, we must add $30.3 + 0.5 \cos \gamma_2$ to the tabular values of γ_2 given for high water. These conditions give, by the method of least squares,

$$M_2 = 3^m.3, \quad N_2 = -5^m.2, \quad M_{11} = 0^m.6, \quad N_{11} = 0^m.8$$

These values satisfy the conditions, with an average residual of $0^m.3$ and a maximum residual of $0^m.9$. With these values (48) gives

$$(65) \quad \begin{cases} B_2 = 6^m.2, & \epsilon_2 = 72^\circ.7 \\ B_{11} = 1^m.0, & \epsilon_{11} = -23^\circ \end{cases}$$

The preceding are the values of ϵ_2 and ϵ_{11} when γ_2 is given for a time two lunar days after the transit C (§ 26). In order to reduce them to the case in which γ_2 is given for the time of transit C, we must subtract the mean changes of γ_2 and γ_{11} in two lunar days, which is $27^\circ.1$ in the former and twice that, or $54^\circ.2$, in the latter. Hence we get, in this case,

$$(66) \quad \epsilon_2 = 45^\circ.6, \quad \epsilon_{11} = -77^\circ$$

The preceding are the constants belonging to two more of the terms in the expression of L_2 (26).

If, now, as in the preceding case, we subtract $H'_0 + K_2$ from each value of H'_1 in the preceding table, and $H'_0 - K_2$ from each value of H'_2 , with these forty-eight residuals and the corresponding values of γ_2 , (50) gives forty-eight equations of the form

$$\delta H = K_0 (M_2 \cos \gamma_2 + N_2 \sin \gamma_2) \pm K_2 (M_2 \cos \gamma_2 + N_2 \sin \gamma_2 + M_{11} \cos \gamma_{11} + N_{11} \sin \gamma_{11})$$

in which the minus sign belongs to low waters. From these forty-eight conditions we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} K_0 M_2 &= -0.033 \text{ ft.}, & K_2 M_2 &= +0.771 \text{ ft.}, & K_2 M_{11} &= +0.051 \text{ ft.} \\ K_0 N_2 &= -0.014 \text{ ft.}, & K_2 N_2 &= +0.204 \text{ ft.}, & K_2 N_{11} &= +0.014 \text{ ft.} \end{aligned}$$

With these values (49) gives

$$(67) \quad \begin{cases} K_0 R_2 = -0.036 \text{ ft.}, & R_{(0,2)} = 0.308, & a_{(0,2)} = 38^\circ \\ K_2 R_2 = +0.797 \text{ ft.}, & R_{(2,2)} = 0.1624, & a_{(2,2)} = 29^\circ 51' \\ K_2 R_{11} = +0.053 \text{ ft.}, & R_{(2,11)} = 0.0107, & a_{(2,11)} = 45^\circ \end{cases}$$

These values satisfy the conditions, with an average residual of 0.020 ft. and a maximum residual of 0.049 ft. These are a part of the constants belonging to the terms in the expressions of A_0 and A_2 (24).

In order to reduce the preceding values of the angle of epoch to transit C, we must subtract $27^\circ.1$ from the first two and $54^\circ.2$ from the last one.

From (28) we get, with the reduced value of $a_2 = 29^\circ.9 - 27^\circ.1$,

$$(68) \quad \tau_2 = 2^d.03 + \frac{.049}{.229} = 2^d.24$$

INEQUALITY DEPENDING UPON THE MOON'S LONGITUDE.

30. By taking the average of all the values of λ and H of each transit in Tables I and II, and then taking the half sum and the half difference of the values of the two transits, we get the following table of average values belonging to the given longitude, from which the inequality depending upon $(\psi - \psi')$ is eliminated, and consequently they contain only the inequality depending upon the moon's longitude.

TABLE VII.

Obs.	Combined transits.					The differences of transits.			
	ϕ	λ_1	λ_2	H_1	H_2	$(\lambda_1 - \lambda_2)$	$(\lambda_2 - \lambda_3)$	$(H_1 - H_2)$	$(H_2 - H_3)$
	$^{\circ}$	$\lambda. m.$	$\lambda. m.$	$ft.$	$ft.$	$m.$	$m.$	$ft.$	$ft.$
555	7.5	0 41.7	6 53.4	5.182	5.123	+2.0	-2.8	-0.496	+0.224
553	22.5	0 43.5	6 55.1	5.148	5.145	1.5	4.0	0.719	0.391
555	37.5	0 44.8	6 57.5	5.106	5.233	3.4	4.7	0.822	0.481
556	52.5	0 45.4	6 57.8	5.043	5.262	4.8	4.8	0.886	0.500
547	67.5	0 44.2	6 57.0	4.991	5.334	5.1	5.5	0.992	0.523
548	82.5	0 42.5	6 55.2	4.998	5.355	5.1	5.4	0.963	0.636
550	97.5	0 39.4	6 52.4	4.999	5.365	5.0	4.3	0.888	0.540
545	112.5	0 36.8	6 50.3	5.029	5.334	5.6	1.9	0.667	0.482
552	127.5	0 35.9	6 48.7	5.024	5.234	3.5	2.5	0.567	0.383
558	142.5	0 36.5	6 49.1	5.075	5.199	2.1	-2.2	-0.235	0.160
563	157.5	0 39.1	6 51.5	5.122	5.178	2.1	+0.1	+0.001	+0.042
553	172.5	0 43.0	6 54.4	5.131	5.168	+0.3	2.7	0.227	-0.068
566	187.5	0 45.2	6 56.9	5.131	5.157	-2.0	2.8	0.555	0.230
558	202.5	0 47.9	6 59.9	5.086	5.215	2.5	3.1	0.739	0.352
563	217.5	0 49.1	6 61.9	5.056	5.291	3.8	4.1	0.830	0.501
562	232.5	0 50.4	6 63.0	5.015	5.390	3.1	4.5	0.942	0.578
563	247.5	0 49.6	6 62.0	5.007	5.434	4.0	5.5	0.945	0.576
557	262.5	0 46.4	6 59.0	4.997	5.427	6.4	3.7	0.872	0.511
552	277.5	0 43.5	6 56.5	4.924	5.403	4.2	5.1	0.852	0.519
541	292.5	0 40.4	6 53.1	4.998	5.304	3.9	2.2	0.769	0.479
558	307.5	0 38.0	6 50.7	5.056	5.290	4.7	1.2	0.532	0.400
545	322.5	0 36.5	6 49.4	5.101	5.136	2.3	+0.1	0.398	0.206
569	337.5	0 37.4	6 50.3	5.168	5.097	1.6	-1.6	+0.042	-0.115
546	352.5	0 39.2	6 51.0	5.203	5.071	-1.5	-3.9	-0.291	+0.081
Means.		0 42.35	6 54.83	5.067	5.255				

The inequalities in the values in the preceding table are affected by the tide produced by the small term in the moon's disturbing force depending upon the fourth power of the moon's distance. The expression of this tide, and also of the lunital interval, contains the angle ϕ , (33); and hence the expressions representing the inequalities in the preceding tabular values must contain such an angle. By proceeding in the same manner as in the preceding cases, we obtain from the preceding table forty-eight equations of the form,

$$\delta L = M'' \sin \phi + N'' \cos \phi + M_3 \sin \eta_3 + N_3 \cos \eta_3$$

These equations give

$$M'' = -2^m.1, \quad N'' = -1^m.4, \quad M_3 = 5^m.3, \quad N_3 = 0^m.5$$

From these we get by (48),

$$(69) \quad \begin{cases} B'' = 2^m.5, & \epsilon'' = -34^{\circ} \\ B_3 = 5^m.3, & \epsilon_3 = 6^{\circ} \end{cases}$$

These constants satisfy the conditions, with an average residual of $0^m.4$ and a maximum of $1^m.4$. From the values of H_1 and H_2 in the preceding table we obtain, as in the preceding cases, from (50) forty-eight equations of the form

$$\delta H = K_0 (M_3 \cos \eta_3 + N_3 \sin \eta_3) \pm K_2 (M_3 \cos \eta_3 + N_3 \sin \eta_3 + M'' \cos \phi + N'' \sin \phi)$$

From these forty-eight conditions we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} K_0 M_3 &= -.021 \text{ ft.}, & K_2 M_3 &= +.107 \text{ ft.}, & M'' &= +.030 \\ K_0 N_3 &= +.005 \text{ ft.}, & K_2 N_3 &= -.012 \text{ ft.}, & N'' &= +.007 \end{aligned}$$

With these values (49) gives

$$(70) \quad \begin{cases} K_0 R_3 = -.022 \text{ ft.}, & R_{(0,3)} = .190 & \alpha_{(0,3)} = -14^{\circ} \\ K_2 R_3 = .109 \text{ ft.}, & R_{(2,3)} = .0225 & \alpha_{(2,3)} = -6^{\circ} 30' \\ K_2 R'' = .032 \text{ ft.}, & R'' = .0065 & \alpha'' = +13^{\circ} \end{cases}$$

Since the range of argument belonging to each group of observations is twice as great in this case as in the other cases, the coefficients of the inequalities, as obtained, are increased in the ratio of the sine to the arc of the half range of the groups of observations. An explanation of this small correction has been given in (§ 23). This very small correction is insensible in the other cases.

These constants satisfy the conditions, with an average residual of .016 ft. and a maximum of .057 ft. As the preceding inequalities of the first degree are so small, those of the second degree depending upon $2\gamma_3$ must be very small and may be neglected.

From (28) we get

$$(71) \quad \tau_3 = 2^d.03 - \frac{.113}{.460} = 1^d.78$$

Since the maximum of the small tide depending upon the fourth power of the moon's distance does not necessarily happen at the same time as that of the principal part of the semi-diurnal tide, the preceding value of $K_3 R''$ represents the height of that tide at the time of the high water of the resultant tide. Hence, putting

λ'' = the lunital interval of the small tide;

q'' = the time of the resultant high water after that of the mean semi-diurnal tide;

$K_3 a$ = the coefficient of the tide;

we have

$$1 + R'' = \sqrt{1 + a^2 + 2a \cos(L_2 - \lambda'')} = 1 + a \cos(L_2 - \lambda'') \text{ nearly}$$

$$\tan q'' = \frac{a \sin(L_2 - \lambda'')}{1 + a \cos(L_2 - \lambda'')} = a \sin(L_2 - \lambda'') \text{ nearly}$$

From the preceding values of B'' and ϵ'' and of R'' and α'' , we get

$$\begin{aligned} q'' &= -2^m.5 \sin(\varphi + 34^\circ) \\ R'' &= .0065 \sin(\varphi + 77^\circ) \end{aligned}$$

These values of q'' and R'' cannot satisfy the preceding equations unless the angles are the same, whereas they differ 43° . But since the coefficient $K_3 R''$ of the small tide from which the value of α'' has been determined is only a small fraction of an inch, the discrepancy may be regarded as falling within the limits of the errors of observation. Assuming that the angles are equal, we then have, at the time of the maximum, $q'' = -2^m.5$, and $R'' = .0065$.

With these values the preceding equations give

$$\begin{aligned} .0065 &= a \cos(L_2 - \lambda'') \\ .0218 &= -a \sin(L_2 - \lambda'') \end{aligned}$$

from which we get

$$(72) \quad a = .023, \quad L_2 - \lambda'' = -73^\circ$$

Hence $K_3 a = 0.115$ ft. is the coefficient of the tide, and 73° expressed in solar time, which is about $2\frac{1}{2}$ hours, is the time the high water of this small tide precedes the time of the high water of the principal tide. Hence *the high water of this tide occurs at $11^h 26^m.5 - 2^h 30^m = 8^h 56^m.5$, or about 9 o'clock in lunar time.* We also have in this case

$$(73) \quad B''_0 = 2^d 0^h 42^m - 2^h 30^m = 1^d 22^h 12^m$$

for the mean establishment.

INEQUALITIES DEPENDING UPON THE SUN'S ANOMALY AND LONGITUDE.

31. From the means in the footings of Table IV we get the following table of average values, corresponding to the given values of ν' and $2\varphi'$ belonging to the middle of each month:

TABLE VII.

Month.	'	2 ϕ'	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	$\frac{1}{2}(H'_1 + H'_2)$	$\frac{1}{2}(H'_1 - H'_2)$	$\delta H'_0$
	o	o	h. m.	h. m.	Feet.	Feet.	Feet.	Feet.	Feet.
January	15	230	0 37.9	6 51.0	4.933	5.190	20.061	4.861	— .039
February	45	290	0 40.7	6 52.2	4.841	5.060	19.950	4.890	— .200
March	75	351	0 40.8	6 53.4	4.902	5.058	20.010	4.952	— .140
April	105	51	0 41.4	6 54.1	5.000	5.177	20.092	4.915	— .058
May	135	110	0 43.4	6 55.5	5.075	5.253	20.164	4.911	+ .014
June	165	168	0 46.0	6 57.8	5.090	5.225	20.157	4.932	+ .007
July	194	226	0 47.6	6 58.7	5.082	5.266	20.174	4.908	+ .094
August	223	284	0 46.6	6 57.8	5.113	5.300	20.206	4.906	+ .056
September	252	344	0 45.3	6 57.2	5.091	5.360	20.225	4.865	+ .075
October	282	44	0 42.0	6 54.5	5.143	5.469	20.306	4.837	+ .156
November	313	106	0 40.6	6 53.3	5.202	5.425	20.313	4.888	+ .163
December	344	168	0 38.7	6 50.8	5.046	5.240	20.143	4.903	— .007
Means			0 42.6	6 54.9	5.058	5.252	20.150	4.897	

From this table we obtain, as in preceding cases, twelve values of δL , which, together with the corresponding values of $v' = \gamma_4$ and $2\phi' = \gamma_5$, in (46) and (47), give twelve equations of the form

$$\delta L = M_4 \sin \gamma_4 + N_4 \cos \gamma_4 + M_5 \sin \gamma_5 + N_5 \cos \gamma_5$$

From these we get, in the same manner as in preceding cases,

$$(74) \quad \begin{cases} B_4 = -3^m.9, & \epsilon_4 = -73^\circ \\ B_5 = -0^m.6, & \epsilon_5 = -10^\circ \end{cases}$$

In the same way with the values of $\frac{1}{2}(H'_1 - H'_2)$, (50) gives twelve equations of the form

$$\delta H = K_2(M_4 \cos \gamma_4 + N_4 \sin \gamma_4 + M_5 \cos \gamma_5 + N_5 \sin \gamma_5)$$

From these conditions we get

$$(75) \quad \begin{cases} K_2 R_4 = 0.0378 \text{ ft.}, & R_4 = -.0077, & a_4 = -65^\circ \\ K_2 R_5 = 0.0093 \text{ ft.}, & R_5 = -.0019, & a_5 = -58^\circ \end{cases}$$

In the same manner we obtain from the values of $\frac{1}{2}(H'_1 + H'_2)$,

$$(76) \quad \begin{cases} K_0 R_4 = 0.126 \text{ ft.}, & R_4 = 1.08, & a_4 = 254^\circ \\ K_0 R_5 = 0.073 \text{ ft.}, & R_5 = 0.62, & a_5 = 98^\circ \end{cases}$$

Since the arguments in the preceding table change so little from high to the following low water, $\frac{1}{2}(H'_1 + H'_2)$ may be taken as a normal value of the mean height, and $\frac{1}{2}(H'_1 - H'_2)$ as the coefficient or semi-range of the tide.

In the preceding table $\delta H'_0$ is the difference between any value of H'_0 and its mean value, and the column expresses the annual variation of mean level.

INEQUALITY DEPENDING UPON THE MOON'S NODE.

32. By summing the values of λ'_1 , λ'_2 , H'_1 , and H'_2 , and taking the averages so as to eliminate the annual inequalities, we obtain the following table of averages for each year, in which the value of ω belonging to the middle of the year is given:

TABLE VIII.

Year.	ω	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	$\frac{1}{2}(H'_1 + H'_2)$	$\frac{1}{2}(H'_1 - H'_2)$
	$^{\circ}$	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Feet.</i>
1848.....	156	0 42.5	6 55.7	5.21	5.24	20.22	4.99
1849.....	137	0 44.3	6 56.4	5.27	5.17	20.22	5.05
1850.....	118	0 42.4	6 54.6	5.21	5.17	20.19	5.02
1851.....	98	0 42.1	6 54.3	5.16	5.19	20.18	4.99
1852.....	79	0 41.8	6 54.8	5.15	5.30	20.22	4.93
1853.....	59	0 39.2	6 52.0	5.13	5.32	20.22	4.90
1854.....	40	0 40.0	6 53.1	4.98	5.28	20.11	4.83
1855.....	21	0 39.5	6 53.0	5.05	5.37	20.21	4.84
1856.....	2	0 40.2	6 51.0	5.04	5.49	20.21	4.78
1857.....	342	0 41.6	6 53.4	4.99	5.42	20.21	4.79
1858.....	323	0 41.8	6 52.2	4.86	5.33	20.10	4.77
1859.....	304	0 39.4	6 52.2	4.90	5.24	20.07	4.83
1860.....	285	0 42.5	6 55.5	4.86	5.11	19.99	4.88
1861.....	266	0 44.0	6 56.4	4.99	5.22	20.10	4.89
1862.....	246	0 43.6	6 55.1	5.00	5.25	20.12	4.88
1863.....	227	0 45.2	6 55.5	4.97	5.26	20.12	4.85
1864.....	207	0 45.1	6 58.7	5.02	5.16	20.09	4.93
1865.....	187	0 46.7	6 58.9	5.14	5.11	20.12	5.01
Means.....		0 42.6	6 54.9	5.048	5.249	20.150	4.897

In this case, as in the preceding one, the argument changes so slowly that we can take $\frac{1}{2}(H'_1 + H'_2)$ as the mean level, and $\frac{1}{2}(H'_1 - H'_2)$ as the mean range, corresponding to the given value of ω .

From the preceding values of λ'_1 and λ'_2 , we obtain, in the same way as heretofore, eighteen equations of the form

$$\delta L = M_6 \sin \gamma_6 + N_6 \cos \gamma_6$$

which gives by (48),

$$(77) \quad B_6 = -2^m.5, \quad \epsilon_6 = -50^{\circ}$$

From the last column we obtain eighteen equations of the form

$$\delta H = M_6 \cos \gamma_6 + N_6 \sin \gamma_6$$

which, by (49), gives

$$(78) \quad K_6 R_6 = -0.112 \text{ ft.}, \quad R_6 = -.0235, \quad \alpha_6 = -11^{\circ}$$

INEQUALITIES DEPENDING UPON γ_8 AND γ_9 .

33. If in Table III we combine all the values of λ'_1 , λ'_2 , H'_1 , and H'_2 , in which $\gamma_1 + \gamma_2 = 7^{\circ}.5$, and then all those in which $\gamma_1 + \gamma_2 = 22^{\circ}.5$, and so on; and likewise combine all those in which $\gamma_1 - \gamma_2 = 7^{\circ}.5$, and then all those in which $\gamma_1 - \gamma_2 = 22^{\circ}.5$, and so on, we get the following table of averages, corresponding to twenty-four values of the argument $\gamma_1 + \gamma_2 = \gamma_8$, and also to twenty-four values of the argument $\gamma_1 - \gamma_2 = \gamma_9$, in which the inequalities of all the other arguments are eliminated:

TABLE IX.

η_8	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2	η_9	λ'_1	λ'_2	H'_1	H'_2
$^{\circ}$	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Feet.</i>	$^{\circ}$	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Feet.</i>
7.5	0 41.7	6 54.3	5.104	5.232	7.5	0 43.4	6 55.9	5.195	5.123
22.5	0 43.0	6 55.0	5.099	5.242	22.5	0 45.0	6 57.7	5.119	5.147
37.5	0 42.2	6 55.2	5.073	5.247	37.5	0 45.1	6 57.8	5.095	5.206
52.5	0 43.4	6 55.9	5.036	5.207	52.5	0 45.3	6 58.0	5.089	5.254
67.5	0 43.4	6 55.8	5.015	5.247	67.5	0 45.8	6 58.2	5.017	5.253
82.5	0 43.8	6 56.9	5.060	5.252	82.5	0 45.5	6 58.7	5.034	5.285
97.5	0 43.9	6 56.6	5.030	5.270	97.5	0 45.4	6 57.8	4.998	5.373
112.5	0 44.2	6 56.1	5.029	5.283	112.5	0 44.7	6 57.2	5.016	5.337
127.5	0 43.4	6 56.0	4.978	5.259	127.5	0 43.8	6 56.5	4.999	5.386
142.5	0 43.5	6 55.9	5.082	5.252	142.5	0 43.2	6 55.3	4.965	5.364
157.5	0 43.2	6 55.8	5.025	5.290	157.5	0 41.5	6 54.3	4.961	5.390
172.5	0 42.8	6 55.0	5.030	5.278	172.5	0 41.2	6 53.8	4.943	5.343
187.5	0 42.5	6 55.2	5.089	5.296	187.5	0 40.4	6 52.6	4.926	5.352
202.5	0 42.2	6 55.2	5.107	5.254	202.5	0 39.5	6 51.7	4.997	5.332
217.5	0 41.4	6 53.3	5.039	5.290	217.5	0 38.7	6 51.8	4.989	5.267
232.5	0 41.3	6 54.4	5.067	5.242	232.5	0 39.9	6 52.2	5.060	5.290
247.5	0 40.8	6 53.8	5.111	5.286	247.5	0 39.1	6 51.9	5.108	5.260
262.5	0 41.0	6 53.5	5.090	5.244	262.5	0 39.1	6 51.0	5.111	5.196
277.5	0 40.6	6 53.6	5.077	5.217	277.5	0 39.3	6 51.9	5.130	5.227
292.5	0 40.4	6 53.0	5.067	5.238	292.5	0 39.5	6 52.1	5.144	5.143
307.5	0 41.2	6 53.7	5.102	5.254	307.5	0 40.3	6 52.8	5.167	5.147
322.5	0 40.3	6 53.8	5.108	5.220	322.5	0 41.5	6 54.8	5.183	5.130
337.5	0 41.8	6 53.7	5.040	5.219	337.5	0 42.4	6 55.0	5.183	5.103
352.5	0 41.5	6 54.5	5.095	5.242	352.5	0 44.2	6 57.1	5.139	5.128
Means.	0 42.2	6 54.8	5.066	5.253	Means.	0 42.3	6 54.8	5.066	5.252

By the methods heretofore used, we obtain from these tabular results,

$$(79) \quad \begin{cases} B_8 = 1^m.5, & \epsilon_8 = -25^{\circ}, & K_2 R_8 = .0265 \text{ ft.}, & R_8 = .0054, & a_8 = -45^{\circ} \\ B_9 = 3^m.5, & \epsilon_9 = 24^{\circ}, & K_2 R_9 = .1196 \text{ ft.}, & R_9 = .0240, & a_9 = -21^{\circ} \end{cases}$$

As has been stated, the values of η_2 in Table III belong to a time two lunar days after transit C, and hence the values of the argument η_8 are too great for the assumed transit C, by the change of η_2 in that time. For the same the values of argument η_9 are too small by that amount. The preceding values of the epochs have been reduced to transit C by subtracting $27^{\circ}.1$ in the former case, and adding the same amount in the latter case.

In the same manner the constants might be found for the terms depending upon the arguments $\eta_1 + \eta_3$ and $\eta_1 - \eta_3$, or $\eta_2 + \eta_3$ and $\eta_2 - \eta_3$, but the effects depending upon these arguments must be still smaller than those depending upon η_8 and η_9 . This one case will serve to show that these effects are of very little importance.

DIURNAL TIDE.

34. It has been found that the terms depending upon A_3 are insensible, and hence with the twenty-four values of $(H_1 - H_3)$ and $(H_2 - H_4)$ in Table V, (52) gives twenty-four sets of equations for determining the twenty-four values of A_1 and A , belonging to the twenty-four values of ϕ . With these values of A_1 and the corresponding values of ϕ in the table, (53) then gives twenty-four equations of condition for determining, by the method of least squares, the values of M and N , with which we then obtain, by (54),

$$(80) \quad K_1 = -0.58 \text{ ft.}, \quad \alpha = -19^{\circ}.7$$

for the coefficient of the diurnal tide and the value of the angle at the epoch.

From (28) we get, using the value of B_0 in (56),

$$(81) \quad \tau = 2^d.03 - \frac{19^{\circ}.7}{13^{\circ}.18} = 0^d.504$$

for the age of the diurnal tide, $13^{\circ}.18$ being the daily motion of the moon in longitude.

The preceding twenty-four equations of conditions also give $\Delta = 31^\circ$. Expressing this value in solar time, we get from (37) $L_2 - L_1 = 2^h 8^m$ for the time the high water of the diurnal tide precedes that of the semi-diurnal tide.

We consequently have

$$(82) \quad B_0 = 2^d 0^h 42^m - 2^h 8^m = 1^d 22^h 34^m$$

for the mean establishment of the diurnal tide belonging to transit C.

It is evident from (41) that $\frac{1}{2}(\lambda_1 - \lambda_3) = q_1$ and $\frac{1}{2}(\lambda_2 - \lambda_4) = \frac{1}{2}\pi - q_2$. With the preceding values of K_1 and Δ_1 and K_2 (60), we get from (55), expressing arcs in time,

$$q_1 = + 1^m.8 \sin(\varphi - a) \\ \frac{1}{2}\pi - q_2 = - 3^m.0 \sin(\varphi - a)$$

in which a must have the value above. Hence these expressions should represent $\frac{1}{2}(\lambda_1 - \lambda_3)$ and $\frac{1}{2}(\lambda_2 - \lambda_4)$ in Table VII. The angle of the epoch is about right, but the coefficient of the former is nearly one minute too small and that of the latter a little too great. These slight discrepancies are no doubt, caused by the existence of a small quarter-day tide, which has not been taken into account in (41), from which the preceding expressions have been deduced.

RECAPITULATION OF RESULTS.

35. For the general tidal expressions, (24) and (26), the following constants have been obtained, in which the values of the epochs are for transit C.

In oscillations of mean level, in which $s = 0$,

$$(83) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} K_0 = -0.117 \text{ ft.}, & \\ R_1 = 0.504, & a_1 = 0 \\ R_2 = 0.308, & a_2 = -4 \\ R_3 = 0.190, & a_3 = -14 \\ R_4 = 1.08, & a_4 = +74 \\ R_5 = 0.62, & a_5 = -82 \end{array} \right.$$

In diurnal oscillations, in which $s = 1$, (32),

$$(84) \quad K_1 = -0.58 \text{ ft.}, \quad a_1 = -19^\circ.7, \quad B_0 = 1^d 22^h 34^m$$

In semi-diurnal oscillations, in which $s = 2$,

$$(85) \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{llll} K_2 = 4.904 \text{ ft.}, & & B_0 = 2^d 0^h 42^m.25, & \\ R_1 = 0.1388, & a_1 = -10^\circ.5, & B_1 = -22^m.6, & \epsilon_1 = 0^\circ \\ R_2 = 0.1624, & a_2 = +2^\circ.7, & B_2 = 6^m.2, & \epsilon_2 = 45^\circ.6 \\ R_3 = 0.0225, & a_3 = -6^\circ.5, & B_3 = 5^m.3, & \epsilon_3 = 6^\circ \\ R_4 = -0.0077, & a_4 = -65^\circ, & B_4 = -3^m.9, & \epsilon_4 = -73^\circ \\ R_5 = -0.0019, & a_5 = -58^\circ, & B_5 = -0^m.6, & \epsilon_5 = -10^\circ \\ R_6 = -0.0235, & a_6 = -11^\circ, & B_6 = -2^m.5, & \epsilon_6 = -50^\circ \\ R_7 = 0.0054, & a_7 = -45^\circ, & B_7 = 1^m.5, & \epsilon_7 = -25^\circ \\ R_8 = 0.0240, & a_8 = -21^\circ, & B_8 = 3^m.5, & \epsilon_8 = 24^\circ \\ R_{10} = -0.0045, & a_{10} = -2^\circ, & B_{10} = 2^m.0, & \epsilon_{10} = 5^\circ \\ R_{11} = 0.0107, & a_{11} = -9^\circ, & B_{11} = 1^m.0, & \epsilon_{11} = -77^\circ \end{array} \right.$$

In tertio-diurnal oscillations, in which $s = 3$,

$$(86) \quad K_3 = 0.004 \text{ ft.}$$

In the semi-diurnal tide, depending upon the fourth power of the moon's distance, (36),

$$(87) \quad K'' = .0065, \quad a'' = -77^\circ, \quad B_0 = 1^d 22^h 12^m$$

The absolute values of the coefficients of the tide are K_s, R_s .

COMPARISONS WITH THE EQUILIBRIUM THEORY.

36. The values of the constants K_s in the equilibrium theory, and also in the dynamic theory in the oscillations of mean level, are given approximately in (31). By comparing these values with

the preceding, it is seen that K_1 and K_2 given by observation are less than the theoretical values, while that of K_3 , the mean coefficient of the semi-diurnal tide, is nearly ten times greater. But in applying the equilibrium theory to the real case of nature, it has been usual to determine such constants as make the expressions best represent the observations instead of determining them from theory, and to depend upon the theory for the ratios of the inequalities to these constants. In the equilibrium theory, and also in the dynamic theory in the case of oscillations of mean level, we should have $R_n = P_n$. By comparing the preceding values of R_n with those of P_n (12) it is seen that while P_1 is wanting, $R_1 = .504$, and also that the value of R_2 is greater than that of P_2 . The three values of $(R_n - P_n) K_0$ in these three cases give respectively -0.059 ft., -0.020 ft., and $+0.003$ ft. as the coefficients of inequalities in the mean level, belonging respectively to the arguments η_1 , η_2 , and η_3 , for which there are no corresponding inequalities in the disturbing forces. A semi-monthly inequality of mean level, corresponding with the first of the preceding, and with the same sign, though frequently much greater, has usually been found in all tidal discussions.

The parts of the preceding inequalities without any corresponding disturbing forces are, no doubt, the effects of a quarter-day tide, which, with observations of high and low waters only, there are no means of separating from the semi-diurnal tide, and are not inequalities in the true mean level (§ 27); and the preceding inequalities are merely the inequalities in this tide, which varies with the semi-diurnal tide, and the effect of the constant part of this tide is contained in the value of H'_0 . Upon this hypothesis, if we assume the existence of a quarter-day tide with a coefficient of about three inches, it would account for these inequalities within the limits of the errors of observation. We have already had indications of the existence of such a tide elsewhere (§ 34). The exact coefficient of such a tide can only be determined from observations made several times during the phase of the tide.

If we compare the values of R_4 (83) with that of P_4 in (12), we see that the latter is a very inconsiderable part of the former, and that the difference corresponds to an annual inequality of mean level with a range of about four inches, for which there is no corresponding disturbing force. The whole of this inequality is given for the middle of each month in the last column of Table VII. The maximum of this inequality occurs in October or November and the minimum in February. Such an inequality has been found at other ports. At Brest it is a little greater, with the maximum and minimum occurring a little later in the year. Dr. Bache found, from the discussion of the tides at Key West, an annual inequality with a range of about nine inches, and with the maximum in September and the minimum in February.

These results should not be regarded as being at variance with the general tidal theory, but merely as being the effects of some circumstances or causes not taken into account in the theory; and these effects are, no doubt, due to the annual changes in the currents of the ocean, produced by annual changes of temperature and of the winds. On account of the influence of the earth's rotation there cannot be an annual change in the velocity or position of the currents of the ocean without a corresponding change generally in the mean level of the ocean at any port. The preceding results are very interesting in connection with this subject. I endeavored to give a full explanation of these inequalities, a few years ago, in the *Proceedings of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences*, Vol. VII, p. 31.

By comparing the values of R_n (85) with those of P_n (18), it is seen that they differ very much, and consequently the equilibrium theory, applied to the Boston tides, gives very erroneous relations between the inequalities and the mean tide. While $R_1 = .1388$, we have $P_1 = .4240$, and hence the equilibrium theory would make the semi-monthly inequality in heights more than three times greater than it is. In the same way it is seen that it makes the inequality depending upon the moon's parallax too small, while it makes that depending upon the moon's longitude, or declination, more than four times greater.

37. In the equilibrium theory the lunital interval is expressed by $\frac{2\beta_2}{i}$ (22), and the coefficients of the inequalities in the development by Q_n (23). The mean establishment, referred to the nearest transit, should be 0, which does differ much from observation at Boston. But if we compare the preceding value of B_1 with that of Q_1 (23), we see that the equilibrium theory gives nearly two and a half times that of observation for the coefficient of the semi-monthly inequality. For the observed

inequality also of $6^m.2$ depending upon η_2 , the equilibrium theory gives none; and throughout the smaller coefficients there are large proportionate differences between the theory and observation.

38. The values of the angles of epoch in the equilibrium theory should be 0 when referred to the nearest transit. The values of a_1 and a_2 (83) both nearly vanish for the transit C occurring two lunar days earlier, and the value of a_3 would vanish for a transit nearly a day and a half earlier. This also applies to the dynamic theory. But it has been shown that these inequalities, except a small part of the second and third, do not depend upon any corresponding term in the disturbing force, but are probably the effects of quarter-day tides, resulting from the circumstance of a shallow sea, and depending upon the magnitude and epoch of the semi-diurnal tide. Hence the values of the angles of the epoch should correspond somewhat with those of the semi-diurnal tide in (85), which they do as nearly as could be expected, since it is impossible to determine the values of the angles accurately for so small inequalities. The preceding comparisons are sufficient to show how inadequate the equilibrium theory is to represent the observed inequalities of the Boston tides.

DETERMINATION OF THE GENERAL CONSTANTS.

39. It is now proposed to determine the constants in the general tidal expressions (25) and (27). These being known, these expressions then give the special constants belonging to each inequality. Among the constants to be determined is the correction of the moon's mass, $\delta\mu$, contained in the expressions of P_1 , U_1 , and Q_1 , (18) and (27). The diurnal tide in the port of Boston being very small, only the coefficient of the principal inequality has been determined from observation, and consequently we have no means of forming conditions enough to determine these general constants belonging to this tide; and they are of no consequence, since the effects depending upon them in this case must be insensible. We can, therefore, only determine these constants for the semi-diurnal tide.

With the values of R_1 (85) belonging to the first three inequalities, and the corresponding values of P_1 and U_1 , the first of (25) gives the following conditions:

$$(88) \quad \begin{cases} .1388(1+F) = .4305 - 24.0 \delta\mu - (.1742 - 13.2 \delta\mu)E \\ .1624(1+F) = .1521 + 3.6 \delta\mu + .0500 E \\ .0225(1+F) = .0985 + 1.0 \delta\mu - (.0477 - 0.5 \delta\mu)E \end{cases}$$

Also with the values of $M_1 = B_1 \cos(\epsilon_1 - a_1)$, belonging to the same inequalities, the third of (27) gives

$$(89) \quad \begin{cases} -22^m.2 = -52^m.5 + 4034 \delta\mu + (21^m.75 - 1210 \delta\mu)E - 0^m.6 \\ 4^m.3 = + (4^m.10 + 187 \delta\mu)E - 0.3 \\ 5^m.3 = -2^m.2 + 148 \delta\mu + (5^m.16 + 50 \delta\mu)E - 0.1 \end{cases}$$

By giving proper relative weights to these two sets of conditions from the heights and from the times, we can combine them in the determination of the constants, and thus obtain the most probable values which all the conditions give, and get some idea of their probable errors. These six are the only conditions which can be formed having much weight in the determination.

A solution of the first three conditions, (88), depending upon the heights of the tides, gives

$$(90) \quad \delta\mu = -.000283, E = 1.408, \text{ and } F = .365$$

With this value of $\delta\mu$, (9) gives for the moon's mass,

$$\mu = .013 - .000283 = .012717 = \frac{1}{78.64}$$

In order to determine the most probable value of the three preceding constants belonging to all of the preceding conditions, we shall multiply the first three by 300 and then substitute the preceding values plus the correction belonging to the new conditions. We thus get

$$\begin{array}{rcl} -1650 \Delta\mu - 51.60 \Delta E - 41.64 \Delta F & = & 0 \\ + 1080 \Delta\mu + 15.00 \Delta E - 48.72 \Delta F & = & 0 \\ + 510 \Delta\mu - 14.31 \Delta E - 6.75 \Delta F & = & 0 \\ + 2333 \Delta\mu + 21.75 \Delta E & = & 0.3 \\ + 262 \Delta\mu + 4.10 \Delta E & = & -1.2 \\ + 218 \Delta\mu + 5.16 \Delta E & = & 0.3 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Residuals.} \\ \left\{ \begin{array}{l} .00 \\ + .02 \\ - .12 \\ + 0.17 \\ - 1.03 \\ + 0.29 \end{array} \right. \end{array}$$

The solution of these by the method of least squares gives

$$\Delta \mu = .000120 \pm .00021, \Delta E = -.005, \text{ and } \Delta F = .001$$

with the residuals given above. The first three residuals divided by 300 and multiplied by 60 inches, the coefficient nearly of the mean tide, give the real residuals in inches, the greatest of which is only .024 inch. The last three are the residuals belonging to the times in minutes. The multiplication of the conditions from the heights by 300 makes the relation between the two kinds of residuals in general about the same as that of the probable errors of the two kinds of observations.

With the preceding corrections we get for the constants belonging to the new set of conditions,

$$(91) \quad \begin{cases} \mu = 0.012717 + (.000120 \pm .00021) = \frac{1}{77.9 \pm 1.3} \\ E = 1.408 - .005 = 1.403 \\ F = 0.365 + .001 = 0.366 \end{cases}$$

The preceding residuals show the accuracy with which theory represents the three principal inequalities of the heights and the times. This may be somewhat accidental in this case, and it remains yet to be determined by an application of the theory to other ports, whether it will represent the inequalities of the times with such accuracy that conditions deduced from them should have any weight in the determination of the moon's mass. The preceding probable error, obtained from so few conditions, cannot be relied upon as showing with much certainty the real probable error of such determinations in general.

The preceding value of E for the port of Boston is four or five times as great as it is in most European ports. This extraordinary value, in the first of (25), diminishes the values of R_1 and R_3 , and consequently the coefficients of the first and third inequalities, to less than one-third of what they would be by the equilibrium theory, but increases the second inequality, since U_2 is negative, and makes it greater than what the equilibrium theory would require, and even greater than the semi-monthly inequality. In like manner this large value of E , in the third of (27), diminishes the coefficient, and consequently the range, of the first or semi-monthly inequality in the lunital intervals, so that at Boston it is only about half as much as in European ports generally, and less than half of what the equilibrium theory requires.

The value of F above, in the first of (25), tends to decrease all the inequalities, and in the first and third is in the same direction with the effect of the term depending upon E ; but in the second inequality the effects of the two terms are in contrary directions, but that depending upon E is the greater, and consequently the second inequality is greater than the conditions of a static equilibrium would require. Whether the effect of the term depending upon F is due to friction, as we have supposed, (§ 14), or to some other cause, it is evident that the preceding conditions cannot be satisfied without such a term.

40. In the equilibrium theory both E and F vanish, and in this case the first of either (88) or (89) furnishes a condition for determining the correction of the moon's mass, the former from the heights, and the latter from the times. It is well known that this theory, even in European ports, where the deviation from the relations of the equilibrium theory is comparatively small, gives very unreliable determinations of the moon's mass; but in the port of Boston it would give a mass more than double the true mass, as may be seen from a mere inspection of the conditions in this case. The preceding conditions are based upon the hypothesis of a small correction only, and consequently fail in this case, except that they indicate that it must be very large.

In the equilibrium theory only one condition is necessary for determining the moon's mass, which can be based upon the first and principal inequality. Where the term depending upon E has a sensible effect, a second condition is necessary, which may depend either upon the second or third inequalities. Laplace, in his last tidal investigations in the fifth volume of the *Mécanique Céleste*, used the first and third inequalities. Airy, in the discussion of the tides of Ireland, formed conditions from the first and second inequalities, but obtained a mass very much too great. When the terms depending upon F in the preceding conditions have a sensible value, it is readily seen that these two sets of conditions must give very different results, and that the conditions based upon the first and third inequalities must be much better than those based upon the first and

second, since the effects of the two terms depending upon E and F are in the same direction in the former conditions, and somewhat in the same proportion, while in the latter they are in contrary directions.

When the terms depending upon F are sensible, there are three quantities to be determined, and consequently three conditions are necessary, and two of these conditions, if the heights alone are used, have to depend upon the small parallactic and declination inequalities belonging to the moon. Where circumstances are such as to make the terms depending upon E and F small, as at Brest, the conditions are sufficient to determine them with adequate precision to get a pretty accurate determination of the moon's mass; but in the case of the Boston tides these become terms of a first order, which, in a great measure, destroy the first and third inequalities, upon which the determination mainly depends, so that the problem becomes nearly indeterminate, and the conditions are not sufficient to give a reliable determination of the moon's mass; for the small semi-monthly inequality observed is not wholly due to the solar tide, which is a kind of base in the determination, but a considerable part of it belongs to that term in the moon's parallax depending upon the argument of variation, and which gives no advantage in forming the conditions.

By the preceding method, in which conditions from the times are taken in, which our tidal expressions enable us to do, the great weight of the determination which rests upon the small declination inequality, which, in the case of the Boston tides, is reduced to 1.3 inches, is thrown upon the principal semi-monthly inequality of the lunital intervals, which is $22^m.6$, and which can be observed with much greater accuracy, proportionately, than 1.3 inches in the heights. The two other conditions from the times also give some little additional weight to the determination. The accuracy of the determination, of course, depends very much upon the accuracy of the tidal expressions, and the probable error may be greater than that which we have obtained from so few conditions, but still I think the determination is entitled to considerable weight. But it is very evident, from what has been stated, that the Boston tides are not at all favorable for an accurate determination of the moon's mass, and that the same magnitude of errors in theory or observation makes the probable error of the determination several times greater than in the case of tides, as those of Brest, in which the magnitudes of the inequalities differ but little from what the equilibrium theory would give.

COMPARISONS WITH THE DYNAMIC THEORY.

41. In the oscillations of the first kind, which are oscillations of long period, the terms depending upon E , F , and G vanish, and the dynamic corresponds with the equilibrium theory, with which comparisons have already been made. The diurnal tides of Boston being very small, only the constants of the principal term depending upon the moon's longitude have been determined from the observations; and, as it requires at least two conditions to determine the constants in the expressions (25) and (27) for each kind of oscillation, we have no means of making any comparisons of results obtained from the observations with those given by these expressions. The constants E and F having been determined for the semi-diurnal tide, (90), the first of (25) should give the value of R_1 for each of the inequalities of which we know the value of P_1 ; and K_2 being known, we then have $K_2 R_1$, the coefficients of the inequalities. The third of (27) should likewise give $M_1 = B_1 \cos(E_1 - a_1)$. Three of the values of R_1 and M_1 , obtained from observation, belonging to the three principal inequalities, have been used in the six conditions by which the constants have been determined, and, from the smallness of the residuals, it is seen that, so far as these three inequalities are concerned, the observations are well represented by theory.

The values of τ , obtained from (28), with the angles of epoch a_1 , should all be equal, according to theory, taken in terms of a first order only. But, we see from (64), (68), and (71), these values differ considerably at Boston. Neglected terms of a second order, which are very large at Boston, are, no doubt, sensible in this case. It is difficult, also, to obtain the angles of epoch of small inequalities of long period with much accuracy from the observations, but in this case the differences seem to be rather great to be attributed to errors of observation. The other inequalities are too small to give a reliable value of τ .

The values of the angles of epoch E_1 , in the inequalities of the intervals, should be given by the second of (27), but no value for F' in the expression of N_1 can be obtained which will represent them

accurately, and there are evidently some neglected sensible terms which affect this expression. But these angles depend upon very small quantities, since the coefficients are mostly very small, and consequently a very small effect throws them very much out.

In the fourth and fifth inequalities of the heights depending upon the sun's parallax and declination, the observed inequalities are both quite small, less than a half-inch, as theory requires; but here also there are some disturbing influences not represented in the theory, for the coefficients have the contrary sign, and the angles of the epoch, which in this case should be sensibly 0, since D_1, γ_4 and D_1, γ_5 are insensible in the expression (25), are quite large.

These disturbing effects belong mostly to the fourth inequality having an annual period, and are, no doubt, due in part to the varying effects of friction, caused by annual variations in the velocities and positions of ocean-currents, as the Gulf Stream; for such variations, depending upon the changes of the seasons and of temperature, must have an annual period. We have seen that in the oscillations of mean level also there is a very considerable annual inequality not indicated by theory, which we have supposed to be due to influences of the same kind, (§ 36). Now, any amount of change of mean level, from whatever cause, must also produce a slight corresponding effect upon the range of the tidal oscillations and also upon the time, which, in very shallow seas and harbors, may be quite sensible to observation. According to theory, the value of B_4 (85) should be 0; hence we have an annual inequality in the times with a coefficient of four minutes, which must be due to the same causes, as the angle of the epoch, corresponding very nearly with that in the inequality of the heights, seems also to indicate. These seeming deviations from theory are merely the effects of slight disturbing influences not taken into account in the theory, and should be regarded as very important in the investigation of the subject of tidal friction in connection with ocean-currents varying with the seasons.

We come now to the sixth inequality, depending upon the moon's node. In this case U_6 in the first of (25) being sensibly nothing, we should have $(1+F)R_1 = P_1$, or substituting the value of P_6 (18), and the observed value of R_6 (85), we should have $.0235(1+F) = .0375$. This gives the value of F , as deduced from this small inequality alone, equal to nearly .6, which is larger than the value before obtained from conditions from all the principal inequalities. With the value .401 before obtained, the preceding equation gives $R_6 = -.0268$, and consequently the tidal coefficient given by the tidal expression is too great by $-(.0268 - .0235) \times 60$ inches, or about one-fifth of an inch. If $F=0$, then the observed value of R_6 should be equal to P_6 , the value of R_6 belonging to static equilibrium. But the difference is nearly an inch, which is entirely too great to be attributed to errors of observation; and hence the comparison of observation with theory, in the case of this small inequality alone, shows that F must have a sensible value, and that all the terms depending upon it which have never before been taken into account in any tidal theory, must, in the port of Boston at least, have very sensible values.

The value of $B_6 = -2^m.5$ (85) in this case must depend upon F' in the expression of N_6 (27), since all the other terms in the expression vanish in this case. This indicates that F should have a positive value, as is also required in the first inequality. The effect of terms depending upon F' then is to cause the lunital intervals of larger tides to be a little greater than those of smaller ones, and consequently neglecting terms of a third order, to introduce small inequalities into the intervals proportional to the inequalities in the heights.

All the remaining coefficients of the inequalities are quite small and unimportant, and, in the comparison of them with the tidal expressions as here given, there is not a very nice agreement, some of the residuals being nearly an inch. But the correct tidal expressions for these inequalities of a second order depend upon so much development that the more simple expressions, as given in the preceding pages, in which many terms are necessarily neglected, cannot be expected to give accurately these small inequalities in this case on account of the neglected terms, which, although in most cases insensible in the Boston tides, on account of the large value of E , must be quite sensible. The coefficients of the remaining inequalities in the times, as given by observation, agree very well with those given by the tidal expressions, none of the residuals being more than $0^m.5$.

42. All solutions of the tidal problem, extended to the cases of different and varying motions of the disturbing bodies in right ascension assume, as Laplace substantially expresses it, that if the tidal coefficient changes with any change of the motion of the disturbing body in right ascen-

sion, the corresponding changes when small may be regarded as exactly proportional. This is equivalent to supposing that in the development of the tidal coefficient K , which is a function of i , by Taylor's theorem, only the first term depending upon δi , of which the coefficient is $D_1 K$ or E , is sensible, and that all the others, depending upon the square and higher powers of δi , may be neglected. This is, no doubt, true of Brest, and of most European ports, but we are hardly safe in assuming that it is strictly true in the case of the Boston tides; for we have seen that the effect of the first term, that depending upon E , is a quantity of the first order of the inequalities, and in the case of the semi-monthly inequality amounts to more than a fourth part of the whole tidal coefficient, and hence it can hardly be supposed that the second term depending upon $(\delta i)^2$ is entirely insensible. If such terms are sensible they must cause slight deviations of observation from theory, and also affect the determination of the moon's mass. The smallness of the residuals, however, do not indicate that the effect of such terms, if at all sensible, can be of much consequence.

PREDICTION FORMULÆ AND TABLES.

43. With the preceding tidal expressions the heights and times of the tides may be computed for any given time; but although these expressions are in a form most suitable for the discussion of the tide observations and comparisons with theory, and for the study and investigation of the tidal theory, yet on account of the great number of arguments which would have to be used, and number of terms taken in, resulting from the developments, the whole result can be put into a more suitable form for prediction, containing but few arguments. For this purpose we shall determine from the constants belonging to the resultant tides of the moon and sun, which have been obtained directly from comparisons of observation with the tidal expressions, certain constants belonging to the lunar and solar tides considered separately, and then combine these separate tides into a form of expression similar to that of the resultant expression of the potentials of the disturbing forces of the moon and sun, (5) and (6).

By neglecting the effect of friction depending upon F , which decreases the larger tides a little more in proportion than the smaller ones, the first of (25) may be used, with the value of E which we have obtained, in determining the relative magnitudes of the lunar and solar tides. In this case the quantity corresponding to U_1 is $D_1 \eta_1 = .426$, twice the difference of the velocities of the moon and sun in right ascension. If we therefore put e' = the ratio between the solar and lunar tide, since e (8) is the ratio between the solar and lunar disturbing forces, we shall have

$$(92) \quad e' = e(1 - .426 E) = 0.180$$

using the values of e , $\delta\mu$, and E in (10) and (90). Hence the solar tide is decreased in the ratio of 1 to $1 - .426 E$, or of 1 to .401, in consequence of the sun's having a slower motion in right ascension than the moon.

44. If we now consider the lunar tide alone, omitting that part of the effect of friction which depends upon F , since in this case the inequalities in the disturbing force depend upon the moon's parallax and declination only, we shall have in (17)

$$(93) \quad \Sigma_i P_i \cos \eta_i = C \left(1 + \frac{\delta p}{p} \right)^2 (1 - \sin^2 \nu)$$

in which C is a constant and p is the mean parallax, δp is the excess of the parallax above the mean parallax, and ν is the moon's declination, as heretofore defined. In this case the values of P_i in the first member, and the corresponding values of U_i , are different from those already given in the case of the resultants of the potentials, and are found to be

$$(94) \quad \begin{cases} P_1 = .0250, & U_1 = -.0073 \\ P_2 = .1638, & U_2 = -.0500 \\ P_3 = .0860, & U_3 = .0397 \end{cases}$$

omitting the terms depending upon the moon's node and other small secondary terms. With these values the first of (25) gives, omitting F ,

$$(95) \quad \begin{cases} R_2 = .1638 + .0503 \times 1.408 = .2342 \\ R_3 = .0860 - .0397 \times 1.408 = .0302 \end{cases}$$

Hence R_2 , and consequently the coefficient of the corresponding tidal inequality, is increased in the ratio of .1638 to .2342, or of 1 to 1.429, in consequence of the moon's excess of motion at perigee over its mean motion. Also R_3 , and the corresponding tidal coefficient, are decreased in the ratio of .0860 to .0302, or of 1 to .351, in consequence of the moon's decreased motion in right ascension when on the equator, on account of the obliquity of the ecliptic. It should be understood that the preceding ratios are not the ratios of increase or decrease compared with the whole tidal coefficient, but the ratio of increase or decrease of the whole tidal coefficient compared with the corresponding inequality having the same argument. The ratio of increase of the mean tidal coefficient at the maximum is, in the former case, $1 + .0500 \times 1.408 = 1.070$, and of decrease in the latter, $1 - .0397 \times 1.408 = .944$.

Since the increase of the moon's angular motion is proportional to the increase of the parallax, for any increase of the parallax above the mean parallax the ratio of increase of the tidal coefficient of the inequality or variation is 1.429 times greater. If we also compare the moon's motion in right ascension with that motion when on the equator, the increase of motion may be assumed to be as $\sin^2 v$. This is not strictly true, especially with regard to the effects depending upon the moon's node, but the error, as applied to this small inequality, is insensible even in the Boston tides. For any decrease, therefore, of the coefficient of the disturbing force due to declination, the ratio of decrease of the corresponding tidal coefficient is .351.

What has been stated with regard to the lunar tide is also true of the solar tide, except that the relative ratios of increase or of decrease are different.

45. If we therefore put, supposing $F=0$,

M =the value of A_2 , (33), in the case of the moon,

S =its value in the case of the sun,

we shall have, without sensible error,

$$(96) \quad \begin{cases} M = K \left(1 + m \frac{\delta p}{p} \right)^3 (1 - n \sin^2 v) \\ S = s' K \left(1 + m' \frac{\delta p'}{p'} \right)^3 (1 - n' \sin^2 v') \end{cases}$$

in which the accented letters denote the same with regard to the sun which the same letters without an accent do with regard to the moon, and in which p and v must be taken at the times τ_2 and τ_3 earlier. In the case of the moon we have found $m=1.429$, $n=.351$. On account of the sun's slow motion in right ascension, m' and n' may be put equal to unity without sensible error.

If we combine the separate expressions of the lunar and solar tides, as given by (33), as in the case of the potentials of the disturbing forces (5), we get for the combined semi-diurnal tides,

$$(97) \quad Y_2 = \sqrt{M^2 + S^2} + 2MS \cos(\tau_1 - a_1) \cos(2\rho - l - \beta') = Q \cos(2\rho - l - \beta')$$

in which

$$(98) \quad \tan \beta' = - \frac{S \sin(\tau_1 - a_1)}{M + S \cos(\tau_1 - a_1)}$$

These expressions do not include certain small corrections belonging to inequalities of a second order due to changes of the moon's motion in right ascension, but these are very small and of no practical importance.

The lunital interval in the preceding expression, in solar time, is

$$(99) \quad L = 1.035 \frac{\beta' + l}{D_t(2\rho - l - \beta')}$$

and is equivalent to (27), putting $\Sigma_1 Q_1 = 1.035 \beta'$, and using the preceding values of P_1 , belonging to the moon only, in the rest of the expression.

The great advantage of the preceding forms of expressions is that we dispense with all development in the computation of the tidal coefficient, and the trouble of taking into account a very great number of small terms, in the development with arguments depending upon the sums and differences of the principal arguments, and have as arguments merely the time of the moon's transit and the parallaxes and declinations of the moon and sun. The same is true also of the part of the lunital

interval depending upon β' , which is the principal part, the remainder being generally quite small, so that it need be applied as a correction only to a few of the principal terms.

46. If we develop the preceding expressions, as in the case of the potential of the disturbing force, substituting for p , v , p' , and v' , their expressions depending upon the angles η , we should obtain expressions of the resultant of the lunar and solar tides similar to those in the preceding pages, (25) and (27), obtained from the resultant of lunar and solar disturbing forces, of which the constants should be equivalent, and the coefficients of the inequalities of the latter, divided by $(1+F)$, should be equal to the corresponding ones in the former.

In the comparison of the constants we get

$$(100) \quad \sqrt{1+e'^2} .956 K = K_2$$

The preceding must be used as a condition to determine K in (96).

In the comparison of the coefficients of the semi-monthly inequalities in the development of (97) and (98), using the value of e' (92) with those given by observation and by (25) and (27), it is found that the coefficient of the inequality in heights is too great by $0^m.7$, and that of the lunital intervals is too small by $1^m.5$. The theory with regard to this last expression and development seems to be in error by these amounts. But as our object here is merely to get the most convenient expression which will represent the observations with sufficient accuracy for practical purposes, this can be obtained by changing a little the constants as obtained from the former conditions. If we take

$$(101) \quad e'=.205, \quad m=1.530, \quad n=.410, \quad F=.500$$

with these values in (96), (97) will give the principal inequalities in the heights, except the effects of F , within $0^m.2$, and all the others with about the same accuracy as (25), and (97) will give such a value of β' as, substituted in (99), will give the coefficients of the intervals within $0^m.5$, except the few discrepancies already mentioned in the comparisons with the expression of (27). The preceding constants, however, in this case do not quite have the relations to one another required by theory in the other developments.

With the preceding value of e' , and the value of K_2 (60), (100) gives for the constant in (96),

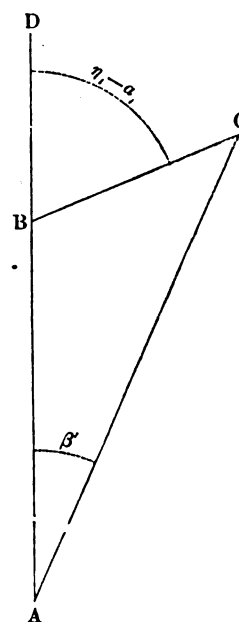
$$(102) \quad K=5.004 \text{ feet.}$$

47. Having obtained M and S from (96), the coefficient of the tide Q and the value of β' in (97) and (98) are readily obtained by construction as follows:

Take AB equal to M , and BC equal to S , making an angle with AB , produced to D , equal to $\eta_1 - a_1$, which is twice $\eta - \eta'$ at a time τ_1 , previous to the time of high or low water, and then join AC . The latter is Q (97), or the coefficient of the tide, neglecting the effect of F . The angle BAC also is the value of β' . Of course the same are readily obtained by a trigonometrical calculation. One-half β' , reduced to time and increased by $\frac{1}{30}$ th, is the part of the lunital interval in solar time depending upon β' .

The values of M and S (96) contain only the parallaxes and declinations of the moon and sun as arguments, and very simple and convenient tables may be constructed giving their values for any given arguments; and then by a very simple construction, or trigonometrical calculation, we get the coefficient of the tide and the principal part of the interval, and thus take in completely all the numerous terms arising from any developed form of expression. These terms do not consist only of the terms corresponding to the terms given in the development of the disturbing forces in (12) and (18), but a great many others of the same order as many given there. The coefficient of the tide thus obtained must be diminished by one-third of the inequality from the mean tide for the effect of friction depending upon F , which is the same as dividing the inequality by $(1+F)$.

It now remains to determine the part of L depending upon l in (99), which is the lunital interval of the lunar tide. The constant of this is B_0 determined by



observation (56), and the inequalities are determined by (27) omitting Q , and using the preceding values of P_1 (94) belonging to the lunar tide only. This gives for the lunar part,

$$(103) \quad M_1=1^m.7, \quad M_2=5^m.8, \quad M_3=6^m.1, \text{ \&c.}$$

The first of these belongs to the small term in the moon's parallax depending upon variation, and is added to the value of the first inequality depending upon β' , which is $-24^m.2$, to give the whole semi-monthly inequality $-22^m.5$. The second is the whole value of B_2 , there being no part depending upon β' . The part of the third inequality depending upon β' is $-1^m.0$, and hence the whole value of B_3 is $5^m.1$.

48. For the sake of convenience in computation we can put in (27), in the case of the lunar tide,

$$(104) \quad \sum_1 M_i \sin \gamma_i = C D_t p + C' \sin 2 v D_t v$$

in which

$D_t p$ = the hourly change of parallax in seconds,

$D_t v$ = the change of declination in seconds for one minute of time.

For the principal term of parallax of which the coefficient is $186''.5$; the hourly change is $1''.79 \sin \gamma_2$; also, the change of $\sin 2 v D_t v$ in seconds for one minute of time is $5''.6 \sin \gamma_3$. Hence, the constants in the preceding expression are determined by the following conditions, using $5^m.3$ given by observation for the value of M_1 instead of $5^m.8$ given by theory, (103):

$$(105) \quad \begin{cases} 1.79 C = 5^m.3 \\ 5.6 C' = 6^m.1 \end{cases}$$

These conditions give $C=3$ very nearly, and $C'=1.1$. With these constants, (104), using seconds of arc as minutes of time, gives the sum of all the terms depending upon $D_t \gamma_i$, independently of any developed expression, directly from the hourly differences of parallax, and the differences of declination for one minute, taken from the Nautical Almanac.

In addition to the preceding we have the terms $\sum_1 N_i \cos \gamma_i$ (27) depending upon friction and other disturbing causes, of which it is only necessary to take account of the following, in which the coefficients given by observation are used, being reduced from transit D to the transit occurring at the time τ before the time of the tide, using the correction (34) for changing from one transit to another:

$$\begin{aligned} N_1 \cos \gamma_1 &= 4^m.0 \cos \gamma_1 \\ N_2 \cos \gamma_2 &= -6^m.0 \cos \gamma_2 \\ N_3 \cos \gamma_3 &= 1^m.5 \cos \gamma_3 \\ N_4 \cos \gamma_4 &= 4^m.0 \cos \gamma_4 \\ N_6 \cos \gamma_6 &= 2^m.5 \cos \gamma_6 \end{aligned}$$

All the other terms of this form are included in the terms depending upon β' in (99).

The first three and the last of these terms are embraced in Table III, the fourth one in Table II.

To both the times and heights must be added, also, the effect of the term depending upon the fourth power of the moon's distance, given in (69) and (70). These inequalities are given in the last two columns of Table IV.

The summation of the preceding effects gives the values of A_2 , (24) or (33), and L_2 , (26).

The value of H_0 , the height of mean level, neglecting the very small inequalities given by observation as of no practical importance, is given in Table III.

The value of A_2 added to H_0 , gives the height of high water, and, subtracted from H_0 , gives that of low water.

To both the heights and times must then be added the effects of the lunar and solar diurnal tides to obtain the complete height and time of the tide. The effects of the lunar tide upon both the height and time of the tide are contained in Table IV, and those of the solar diurnal tide in Tables VIII, IX, X, and XI.

COMPUTATION OF A TIDAL EPHEMERIS.

49. The method of using the preceding formulæ and results in the computation of a tidal ephemeris is most conveniently explained by a reference to the example given at the end :

A is the mean time of the moon's upper transit over the meridian preceding the Washington meridian 2.4 hours, and is obtained from page 332 of the American Ephemeris by interpolation by means of the hourly differences.

a is the equation of time to be subtracted from mean time.

B contains the hours and minutes of the apparent time of the moon's transit over the meridian above stated.

C is the moon's horizontal parallax for a time 18 hours before the time of the Washington transit, or about 6 hours after the preceding upper transit, taken from page 339 of the American Ephemeris, by interpolation by means of the hourly differences.

c is the corresponding hourly difference.

D is the moon's declination 7 hours preceding the time of Washington transit, or 2 hours preceding the time of the Greenwich transit, taken from page 6 of the American Ephemeris.

d is the corresponding hourly difference of declination.

L' is the part of **L** (99) depending upon β' , or upon the solar tide, plus a constant of 30 minutes.

The part independent of the constant, and also **Q**, can be readily obtained, with sufficient accuracy for practical purposes, by construction or by trigonometry, as has been explained in (§47). But the method by trigonometry does not answer well near the times of the conjunctions or quadratures, where the angles are very small, unless these angles are determined with great accuracy. If **L'** and **Q** are determined by computation it is best to compute **Q** and β' , (97) and (98), directly from the expressions, as in the last part of the example at the end, in which

M is taken from Table I, with the arguments **C** and **D**, and

S from Table II, with the date as the argument.

$\log \sin 2B$ and $\log \cos 2B$ are taken from Table VII, which is so arranged, with the sine and cosine adjacent to each other, that they can be taken out at the same time, using **B** instead of $2B$ as an argument. The remaining steps in the example, to obtain $\tan \beta'$, need no explanation. With $\tan \beta'$ as an argument, the variable part of **L'** is taken from Table VI, to which the constant, 30 minutes, is added to make all the values positive.

e is equal to three times **c** with the sign changed, calling seconds of arc minutes of time, plus a constant of 10 minutes.

f is taken from Table V, with **D** and **d** as arguments, a constant of 10 minutes being also added.

g is taken from Table III, with the time of transit, **B**, as an argument.

h is taken from the same, with the parallax, **C**, as an argument.

i is also taken from the same, with the declination, **D**, as an argument.

j is taken from the last part of Table IV, using the declination, **D**, one day in advance, as taken out above.

B₀ is taken from Table II, with the date as the argument, the day and hours not being written in the example, but borne in mind.

$E = A + L' + e + f + g + h + i + j + B_0$

The value of **A** being taken from the ephemeris in astronomical time, the constant, **B₀**, in the table has been increased 12 hours in order to give **E** in civil time. When the *apparent* time of high water is required, **B** should be used instead of **A** in the preceding expression of **E**.

Δ^1 and Δ^2 are the first and second differences of **E** belonging to the upper transits, used as a check, and also for interpolating the intermediate numbers belonging to the lower transits.

The minutes only of Δ^1 are written in the example, the 24 hours being understood. The intermediate numbers, in smaller type, are $\frac{1}{2} \Delta^1$ and $\frac{1}{2} \Delta^2$, used in the interpolation.

δ^1 are the differences after interpolation, used as a check, and also in interpolating to low water, the 12 hours understood not being written.

k is taken from the last part of Table IV, with **D** as an argument taken one day in advance.

l is the effect of the solar diurnal tide upon the time of high water, taken from Table VIII, with **B** and the day of the year as arguments.

$m = k + l$ is the effect of the whole diurnal tide upon the time of high water. The values belonging to the lower transit are readily obtained by interpolation, and must be used with a contrary sign.

t. h. w = $E + m$ are the times of high water; the days and hours, being the same as in *E*, are not written.

Q, the coefficient of the semi-diurnal tide, independent of the effect of *F*, is obtained either by construction, as has been explained, or from $\log Q$ in the latter part of the example, when obtained by computation. The different steps in the example, by which $\log Q$ is obtained, need no explanation.

$n = Q - 4.90$ ft.; that is, it is the excess of *Q* above its mean value. One-third of this subtracted from *Q* gives $A_2 = 4.90 + \frac{Q - 4.90}{1 + F}$, or the coefficient of the semi-diurnal tide as affected by *F*.

Δ^1, Δ^2 are the first and second differences of A_2 , used as a check, and also in interpolating for the lower transits.

δ^1 are the first differences of A_2 after interpolation, used as a check, and for interpolating to low water.

$H_0 + A_2$, in which H_0 is taken from Table II, with the day of the year as an argument, is the height of high water of the semi-diurnal tide.

p is taken from the first part of Table IV, with the declination, *D*, one day in advance, and is the effect of the lunar diurnal tide upon the height of high water.

q is taken from Table X, with *B* and the day of the year as arguments, and is the effect of the solar diurnal tide upon the height of high water above the zero of the tide-gauge.

$r = p + q$ is the effect of the whole diurnal tide upon the height of high water. The values of *r* for the lower transits are readily obtained by interpolation, and must be used with the contrary sign.

h. h. w = $H_0 + A_2 + r$ is the height of high water.

E' is obtained from *E* by interpolation to the time of low water by means of δ^1 , using only the first differences.

k' is taken from the first part of Table IV for low water, using the argument *D* one day in advance.

l' is taken from Table IX, with the arguments *B* and the day of the year.

$m' = k' + l'$ is the whole effect of the diurnal tide upon the times of low water. The values of *m'* for lower transits are obtained by interpolation and must be used with the contrary sign.

t. l. w = $E + m'$ are the times of low water, the days and hours being the same as in *E'*.

A'_2 is obtained from A_2 by interpolation to the time of low water.

$H_0 - A'_2$ is the height of the low water of the semi-diurnal tide.

p' is taken from the first part of Table IV for low water, using the argument *D* one day in advance, and is the effect of the lunar diurnal tide upon the height of low water.

q' is taken from Table XII, with *B* and the day of the year as arguments, and is the effect of the solar diurnal tide upon the height of low water.

$r' = p' + q'$ is the effect of the whole diurnal tide upon the height of low water. The values of *r'* for lower transits are obtained by interpolation, and must have the contrary sign.

h. l. w = $H_0 - A'_2 + r'$ is the height of low water.

CONCLUSION.

50. In the preceding discussion all the results have been brought out which can be of much interest to any one in any theoretical tidal investigations; and much attention has been given to the arranging and presenting of the whole matter in as systematic and concise a manner as possible, and with a convenient and appropriate notation. These results must be found to be the more interesting to investigators on account of the great peculiarities due to local circumstances which make them differ so much in many respects from the results obtained in most of European ports. A comparison of these results has also been made with both the equilibrium and the dynamical theories of the tides, so far as it could be done, where it is neither convenient nor proper to enter very thoroughly into the discussion of tidal theories; and the great defects of the equilibrium theory have been shown, and also various discrepancies of a small order between the results and

our tidal expressions based upon the dynamic theory have been pointed out. These are due, no doubt, mostly to friction in connection with ocean currents, and to the peculiarities arising from local circumstances, which cause many small terms, which are necessarily neglected in the tidal expressions, and which in most ports are insensible, to be quite large in the Boston tides.

Much study and care has also been given to the formation, from these results, of the most convenient formulæ possible for the prediction of the times and heights of the tides, and by means of various auxiliary tables, to render the labor of their computation as small as possible. An example has also been given of the most convenient method of carrying out the computations, from which it may be seen that they can be made with great facility and also with great accuracy.

In the comparison of individual tides as computed with the formulæ and tables, with observation, considerable discrepancies are often found in both the times and the heights, as is to be expected, on account of the many abnormal disturbances arising from the changes in the forces and directions of the wind and in the barometric pressure, and these discrepancies are especially found during the winter and spring, when these changes are the greatest; but still it is thought that the computation gives very accurately the true normal tide. From the discussion of these residuals with reference to the winds and the barometric pressure, some interesting results may yet be obtained with regard to their effects upon the tides. The computation of the tides for a portion of the series is now being made for this purpose, the results of which must be the subject of a future report.

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NOTE.—The following tables are added by way of appendix to the preceding discussion of the Boston tides. They were prepared by Mr. Ferrel, and show the application of the theory.

APPENDIX TO THE DISCUSSION OF THE BOSTON TIDES, BY MR. W. FERREL.

TABLE I—Showing the value of M for every 10' of the moon's parallax, and for every 2° of its declination.

Moon's parallax.	Moon's declination.														
	0 . . . 2°	4°	6°	8°	10°	12°	14°	16°	18°	20°	22°	24°	26°	28°	30°
	Fl.	Fl.	Fl.	Fl.	Fl.	Fl.	Fl.	Fl.	Fl.	Fl.	Fl.	Fl.	Fl.	Fl.	Fl.
54 0	3.88	3.87	3.86	3.85	3.83	3.81	3.79	3.76	3.73	3.70	3.66	3.62	3.58	3.53	3.48
10	3.94	3.93	3.92	3.90	3.88	3.86	3.84	3.81	3.78	3.75	3.71	3.67	3.63	3.58	3.53
20	4.00	3.99	3.98	3.96	3.94	3.92	3.90	3.87	3.84	3.81	3.77	3.73	3.69	3.64	3.58
30	4.06	4.05	4.04	4.02	4.00	3.98	3.96	3.93	3.90	3.86	3.82	3.78	3.74	3.69	3.64
40	4.12	4.11	4.10	4.08	4.06	4.04	4.02	3.99	3.96	3.91	3.87	3.83	3.79	3.74	3.69
50	4.18	4.17	4.16	4.14	4.12	4.10	4.08	4.05	4.01	3.97	3.93	3.89	3.85	3.80	3.74
55 0	4.24	4.23	4.22	4.20	4.17	4.15	4.13	4.10	4.07	4.03	3.99	3.95	3.90	3.85	3.79
10	4.30	4.29	4.28	4.26	4.23	4.21	4.19	4.16	4.13	4.09	4.05	4.00	3.95	3.90	3.85
20	4.36	4.35	4.34	4.32	4.29	4.27	4.25	4.22	4.18	4.14	4.10	4.05	4.00	3.95	3.90
30	4.42	4.41	4.40	4.38	4.36	4.34	4.31	4.28	4.24	4.20	4.16	4.11	4.06	4.01	3.96
40	4.48	4.47	4.46	4.44	4.42	4.40	4.37	4.34	4.30	4.26	4.22	4.17	4.12	4.07	4.01
50	4.54	4.53	4.52	4.50	4.48	4.46	4.43	4.40	4.36	4.32	4.28	4.23	4.17	4.12	4.06
56 0	4.60	4.59	4.58	4.56	4.54	4.52	4.49	4.46	4.42	4.37	4.32	4.27	4.22	4.17	4.12
10	4.67	4.66	4.65	4.63	4.60	4.58	4.55	4.51	4.47	4.43	4.38	4.33	4.28	4.23	4.17
20	4.74	4.73	4.72	4.70	4.67	4.65	4.62	4.58	4.54	4.50	4.45	4.40	4.35	4.29	4.23
30	4.81	4.80	4.79	4.77	4.74	4.72	4.69	4.65	4.61	4.56	4.51	4.46	4.41	4.35	4.29
40	4.87	4.86	4.85	4.83	4.81	4.79	4.76	4.72	4.67	4.62	4.57	4.52	4.47	4.41	4.35
50	4.93	4.92	4.91	4.89	4.87	4.85	4.82	4.78	4.73	4.68	4.63	4.58	4.53	4.47	4.41
57 0	5.00	4.99	4.98	4.96	4.94	4.92	4.89	4.85	4.80	4.75	4.70	4.65	4.59	4.53	4.47
10	5.07	5.06	5.05	5.03	5.00	4.98	4.95	4.91	4.86	4.81	4.76	4.71	4.66	4.60	4.54
20	5.14	5.13	5.12	5.10	5.07	5.05	5.02	4.98	4.93	4.87	4.82	4.77	4.72	4.66	4.60
30	5.21	5.20	5.19	5.17	5.14	5.12	5.09	5.05	5.00	4.94	4.89	4.84	4.79	4.73	4.67
40	5.28	5.27	5.26	5.24	5.21	5.19	5.16	5.11	5.06	5.01	4.96	4.91	4.85	4.79	4.73
50	5.35	5.34	5.33	5.30	5.27	5.25	5.22	5.18	5.13	5.08	5.03	4.97	4.91	4.85	4.79
58 0	5.41	5.40	5.39	5.37	5.34	5.32	5.29	5.25	5.20	5.14	5.09	5.03	4.97	4.91	4.85
10	5.48	5.47	5.46	5.44	5.41	5.39	5.36	5.32	5.27	5.21	5.16	5.11	5.05	4.98	4.91
20	5.55	5.54	5.53	5.51	5.49	5.47	5.44	5.40	5.34	5.28	5.23	5.17	5.11	5.05	4.98
30	5.63	5.62	5.61	5.59	5.56	5.54	5.51	5.46	5.41	5.35	5.29	5.23	5.17	5.11	5.04
40	5.70	5.69	5.68	5.67	5.64	5.61	5.57	5.52	5.47	5.42	5.37	5.31	5.24	5.17	5.10
50	5.77	5.76	5.75	5.73	5.71	5.68	5.65	5.61	5.55	5.49	5.43	5.37	5.31	5.24	5.17
59 0	5.85	5.84	5.83	5.81	5.78	5.75	5.72	5.68	5.62	5.56	5.50	5.44	5.37	5.30	5.23
10	5.93	5.92	5.90	5.88	5.85	5.82	5.78	5.73	5.68	5.63	5.57	5.51	5.44	5.37	5.30
20	6.00	5.99	5.97	5.95	5.92	5.89	5.85	5.81	5.76	5.71	5.65	5.58	5.51	5.44	5.37
30	6.08	6.07	6.06	6.03	6.00	5.97	5.93	5.89	5.84	5.78	5.72	5.65	5.58	5.51	5.43
40	6.15	6.14	6.13	6.10	6.07	6.04	6.00	5.95	5.90	5.85	5.79	5.72	5.65	5.58	5.50
50	6.23	6.22	6.20	6.17	6.14	6.11	6.07	6.02	5.97	5.92	5.86	5.79	5.72	5.64	5.56
60 0	6.30	6.29	6.28	6.25	6.22	6.19	6.15	6.10	6.05	5.99	5.92	5.85	5.78	5.71	5.63
10	6.38	6.37	6.36	6.33	6.30	6.27	6.23	6.18	6.12	6.06	5.99	5.92	5.85	5.78	5.70
20	6.46	6.45	6.43	6.41	6.38	6.35	6.31	6.26	6.20	6.14	6.07	6.00	5.93	5.85	5.77
30	6.54	6.53	6.51	6.49	6.46	6.43	6.39	6.34	6.28	6.22	6.15	6.08	6.00	5.92	5.84
40	6.62	6.61	6.60	6.57	6.54	6.51	6.47	6.42	6.36	6.30	6.23	6.16	6.08	6.00	5.92
50	6.70	6.69	6.67	6.65	6.62	6.59	6.55	6.50	6.44	6.37	6.30	6.23	6.15	6.07	5.99
61 0	6.79	6.78	6.76	6.73	6.70	6.67	6.63	6.58	6.52	6.45	6.38	6.31	6.23	6.15	6.07
10	6.88	6.87	6.85	6.82	6.78	6.75	6.71	6.66	6.60	6.53	6.46	6.39	6.31	6.23	6.15
20	6.97	6.96	6.94	6.91	6.87	6.84	6.80	6.75	6.68	6.61	6.54	6.47	6.39	6.31	6.23
30	7.05	7.04	7.02	6.99	6.95	6.91	6.87	6.82	6.76	6.70	6.63	6.55	6.47	6.39	6.37

TABLE II—Showing the values of S and H_0 for each third of a month, and also of B_0 , as affected by the annual inequality, and the constants of the equations.

Date.	S	H_0	B_0
	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>d. h. m.</i>
Jan. 1	0.92	20.09	1 23 9.0
11	0.93	20.07	9.1
21	0.95	20.04	9.3
Feb. 1	0.97	20.00	9.6
11	1.00	19.96	10.0
21	1.02	19.96	10.5
Mar. 1	1.03	19.98	11.0
11	1.03	20.01	11.6
21	1.02	20.03	12.3
April 1	1.01	20.06	13.0
11	1.00	20.08	13.7
21	0.97	20.11	14.4
May 1	0.93	20.14	15.0
11	0.90	20.15	15.5
21	0.87	20.16	15.9
June 1	0.84	20.16	16.3
11	0.83	20.16	16.6
21	0.81	20.16	16.9
July 1	0.82	20.17	17.0
11	0.83	20.17	16.9
21	0.86	20.18	16.6
Aug. 1	0.89	20.20	16.3
11	0.92	20.21	15.9
21	0.95	20.21	15.5
Sept. 1	0.98	20.22	15.0
11	1.00	20.23	14.4
21	1.01	20.25	13.7
Oct. 1	1.01	20.27	13.0
11	1.01	20.29	12.3
21	1.00	20.30	11.6
Nov. 1	0.98	20.31	11.0
11	0.96	20.31	10.5
21	0.94	20.30	10.0
Dec. 1	0.92	20.27	9.6
11	0.91	20.22	9.3
21	0.92	20.16	1 23 9.1

NOTE.—For the value of H_0 above mean low water, subtract 15.26 feet.

TABLE III—Showing the inequalities resulting from friction and other causes, and depending upon the moon's transit, parallax, and declination.

D's transit.	Equation.	D's paral- lax.	Equation.	D's dec.	Equation.
<i>h. m.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>' "</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>°</i>	<i>m.</i>
0 00	8.0	54 00	15.0	0	0.0
30	7.8	30	14.0	2	0.1
1 00	7.5	55 00	13.0	4	0.2
30	6.9	30	12.0	6	0.4
2 00	6.0	56 00	11.0	8	0.6
30	5.0	30	10.0	10	0.9
3 00	4.0	57 00	9.0	12	1.2
30	3.0	30	8.0	14	1.6
4 00	2.0	58 00	7.0	16	2.0
30	1.1	30	6.0	18	2.5
5 00	0.5	59 00	5.0	20	3.0
30	0.2	30	4.0	22	3.6
6 00	0.0	60 00	3.0	24	4.3
30	0.2	30	2.0	26	5.1
7 00	0.5	61 00	1.0	28	6.0
30	1.1	30	0.0	30	7.0
8 00	2.0	Constant 9m. 0		Constant 2m. 0	
30	3.0				
9 00	4.0				
30	5.0				
10 00	6.0	Constant 4m. 0			
30	6.9				
11 00	7.5				
30	7.8				

TABLE IV—Showing the effect of the moon's diurnal tide upon the times and heights, and also of the term depending upon the fourth power of the moon's distance, contained in the last columns. The argument is D , taken one day in advance.

D's dec.	Equations of high water.		Equations of low water.		Equations of semi-diurnal tide.	
<i>°</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>
+30	-3.0	+0.63	+3.0	-0.37	0.0	0.06
25	2.5	0.53	2.5	0.32	0.3	0.06
20	2.0	0.43	2.0	0.26	0.8	0.05
15	1.5	0.32	1.5	0.20	1.4	0.05
10	1.0	0.22	1.0	0.13	1.9	0.04
+ 5	-0.5	+0.11	+0.5	-0.07	2.5	0.04
0	0.0	0.00	0.0	0.00	3.0	0.03
- 5	+0.5	-0.11	-0.5	+0.07	3.5	0.02
10	1.0	0.22	1.0	0.13	4.1	0.02
15	1.5	0.32	1.5	0.20	4.6	0.01
20	2.0	0.43	2.0	0.26	5.2	0.01
25	2.5	0.53	2.5	0.32	5.7	0.00
-30	+3.0	-0.63	-3.0	+0.37	6.0	0.00

NOTE.—For lower transits the signs of the diurnal tide must be reversed.

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TABLE V.—Showing the value of $C' \sin 2 \nabla D_t \nabla (104)$ in tenths of minutes for each degree of declination and for each second of the value of $D_t \nabla$.

Dec.	Values of $D_t \nabla$.																
	1"	2"	3"	4"	5"	6"	7"	8"	9"	10"	11"	12"	13"	14"	15"	16"	17"
0																	
1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	3	4	4	5	5	5	6	6	7
2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	7	8	8	9	10	11	12	12	13
3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9	10	11	12	13	15	16	17	18	19
4	.	.	.	.	.	..	..	12	13	15	16	18	20	21	23	25	26
5	.	.	.	.	..	..	..	15	16	19	20	22	25	26	29	31	32
6	.	.	.	.	..	..	..	16	18	20	23	25	27	30	32	34	40
7	.	.	.	..	..	..	..	19	21	23	27	29	31	35	37	40	46
8	.	.	..	..	..	..	..	22	24	27	30	33	36	40	42	46	52
9	.	.	..	..	..	..	..	20	24	27	30	34	37	41	44	51	54
10	.	.	..	..	..	..	..	22	26	30	33	37	41	46	49	53	60
11	.	..	..	..	..	25	29	33	37	40	45	50	54	58	62	66	..
12	.	..	..	..	22	27	31	36	40	44	49	54	58	63	67	72	..
13	.	..	..	..	24	29	34	39	43	47	53	58	63	68	72	78	..
14	.	..	..	20	25	31	36	42	46	51	57	62	67	72	77	..	..
15	.	..	16	22	27	33	38	44	49	55	60	66	71	76	82	..	..
16	.	12	17	24	28	35	41	47	52	58	64	70	76	81	86	..	..
17	6	12	18	25	30	37	43	50	55	61	68	74	80	86	..	..	..
18	6	13	19	26	32	39	45	52	58	64	71	78	84	90	..	..	..
19	6	13	20	27	33	40	47	55	60	67	75	82	86	..	..	..	..
20	7	14	21	28	35	42	49	57	63	70	78	86	90	..	..	..	..
21	7	15	22	29	36	44	51	59	66	73	81	90	..	..	..	..	..
22	7	15	23	30	37	46	53	61	69	76	84	..	..	..	..	..	..
23	8	16	23	31	39	47	55	63	71	79	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
24	8	16	24	32	40	49	57	65	73	82	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
25	8	17	25	33	41	50	59	67	75	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
26	8	17	26	34	43	52	61	69	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
27	9	18	27	35	44	53	63	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
28	9	18	27	36	45	54	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
29	9	19	28	37	46	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

NOTE.—When the arguments have the same signs, the quantities are positive; when different signs, negative.

TABLE VI.—Showing the value of L' , and the part of L (99) depending upon β' , corresponding to any given value of the logarithmic tangent of β' ()

L'	0m.	1m.	2m.	3m.	4m.	5m.	6m.	7m.	8m.	9m.
m.										
0	...	6.926	7.227	7.403	7.528	7.615	7.704	7.771	7.829	7.880
1	7.926	7.967	8.005	8.040	8.072	8.101	8.130	8.156	8.181	8.204
2	8.227	8.248	8.268	8.288	8.306	8.324	8.341	8.357	8.373	8.388
0	...	7.926	8.227	8.403	8.528	8.625	8.704	8.771	8.830	8.881
10	8.927	8.969	9.006	9.042	9.074	9.104	9.133	9.159	9.185	9.209
20	9.231	9.253	9.274	9.293	9.312	9.333	9.348	9.365	9.382	9.398
30	9.413	9.428	9.442	9.457	9.470	9.484	9.497	9.510	9.522	9.534

NOTE.—In the first division of the table 0m., 1m., 2m., &c., must be taken as tenths of a minute.

TABLE VII—Showing the logarithmic sine and cosine of $2(\psi-\psi')$ to three places for each minute of $(\psi-\psi')$.

$(\psi-\psi')$	Sine.	Cosine.	$(\psi-\psi')$	$(\psi-\psi')$	Sine.	Cosine.	$(\psi-\psi')$	$(\psi-\psi')$	Sine.	Cosine.	$(\psi-\psi')$
<i>h. m.</i>			<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>			<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>			<i>h. m.</i>
0 0	10.000	5 60	1 0	9.699	9.938	4 60	2 0	9.938	9.699	3 60	
1	7.941	59	1	705	935	59	1	940	692	59	
2	8.242	58	2	712	933	58	2	942	686	58	
3	418	57	3	718	931	57	3	944	679	57	
4	543	56	4	724	928	56	4	946	672	56	
5	640	55	5	730	926	55	5	948	664	55	
6	719	9.999	6	736	924	54	6	950	657	54	
7	786	999	7	742	921	53	7	952	650	53	
8	844	999	8	748	919	52	8	954	642	52	
9	893	999	5 51	753	916	4 51	9	955	634	3 51	
0 10	8.940	9.998	50	1 10	9.759	9.913	50	2 10	9.957	9.626	50
11	982	998	49	11	764	911	49	11	959	618	49
12	9.019	998	48	12	769	908	48	12	961	609	48
13	054	997	47	13	774	905	47	13	962	601	47
14	086	997	46	14	779	902	46	14	964	592	46
15	116	996	45	15	784	899	45	15	966	583	45
16	144	996	44	16	789	897	44	16	967	574	44
17	170	995	43	17	794	894	43	17	969	564	43
18	194	995	42	18	799	890	42	18	970	554	42
19	218	994	5 41	19	804	887	4 41	19	972	544	3 41
0 20	9.240	9.993	40	1 20	9.808	9.884	40	2 20	9.973	9.534	40
21	260	993	39	21	813	881	39	21	974	523	39
22	281	992	38	22	817	878	38	22	976	513	38
23	300	991	37	23	821	874	37	23	977	501	37
24	318	990	36	24	826	871	36	24	978	490	36
25	335	990	35	25	830	868	35	25	979	478	35
26	352	989	34	26	834	864	34	26	981	466	34
27	368	988	33	27	838	861	33	27	982	453	33
28	384	987	32	28	842	857	32	28	983	440	32
29	399	986	5 31	29	846	853	4 31	29	984	427	3 31
0 30	9.413	9.985	30	1 30	9.849	9.849	30	2 30	9.985	9.413	30
31	427	984	29	31	853	846	29	31	986	399	29
32	440	983	28	32	857	842	28	32	987	384	28
33	453	982	27	33	861	838	27	33	988	368	27
34	466	981	26	34	864	834	26	34	989	352	26
35	478	979	25	35	868	830	25	35	990	335	25
36	490	978	24	36	871	826	24	36	990	318	24
37	501	977	23	37	874	821	23	37	991	300	23
38	513	976	22	38	878	817	22	38	992	281	22
39	523	974	5 21	39	881	813	4 21	39	993	260	3 21
0 40	9.534	9.973	20	1 40	9.884	9.808	20	2 40	9.993	9.240	20
41	544	972	19	41	887	804	19	41	994	218	19
42	554	970	18	42	890	799	18	42	995	194	18
43	564	969	17	43	894	794	17	43	995	170	17
44	574	967	16	44	897	789	16	44	996	144	16
45	583	966	15	45	899	784	15	45	996	116	15
46	592	964	14	46	902	779	14	46	997	886	14
47	601	962	13	47	905	774	13	47	997	654	13
48	609	961	12	48	908	769	12	48	998	419	12
49	618	959	5 11	49	911	764	4 11	49	998	8.982	3 11
0 50	9.626	9.957	10	1 50	9.913	9.759	10	2 50	9.998	8.940	10
51	634	955	9	51	916	753	9	51	999	895	9
52	642	954	8	52	919	748	8	52	999	844	8
53	650	952	7	53	921	742	7	53	999	786	7
54	657	950	6	54	924	736	6	54	999	719	6
55	664	948	5	55	926	730	5	55	10.000	640	5
56	672	946	4	56	928	724	4	56	000	543	4
57	679	944	3	57	931	718	3	57	000	418	3
58	686	942	2	58	933	712	2	58	000	242	2
59	692	940	1	59	935	705	1	59	000	7.941	1
60	9.699	9.938	5 0	1 60	9.938	9.699	4 0	2 60	10.000	...	3 0

TABLE VIII—Showing the effect of the solar diurnal tide upon the time of high water for every hour of the moon's transit, and for the first of each month, expressed in tenths of a minute.

Month.	HOURS OF MOON'S TRANSIT IN ASTRONOMICAL TIME.																							
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Jan	+13	+14	+15	+15	+15	+14	+13	+11	+6	0	-6	-11	-13	-14	-15	-15	-15	-14	-13	-11	-6	0	+6	+11
Feb	10	12	12	12	12	12	10	8	4	0	4	8	10	12	12	12	12	12	10	8	5	0	5	8
Mar	+4	+5	+5	+5	+5	+5	+4	+3	+2	0	-2	-3	-4	-5	-5	-5	-5	-4	-3	-2	0	+2	+3	
Apr	-2	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-2	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	+2	+3	+3	+3	+3	+3	+2	+2	+1	0	-1	-2
May	9	10	10	10	10	9	7	6	3	0	3	6	7	9	10	10	10	10	9	7	4	0	4	7
June	12	14	14	14	14	13	12	10	5	0	5	10	12	13	14	14	14	14	12	10	6	0	6	10
July	13	15	15	15	15	15	14	11	6	0	6	11	14	15	15	15	15	15	13	11	6	0	6	11
Aug	9	12	12	12	12	12	11	8	4	0	4	8	11	12	12	12	12	12	10	8	5	0	4	8
Sept	-3	-5	-5	-5	-5	-5	-4	-3	-2	0	+2	+3	+4	+5	+5	+5	+5	+5	+4	+3	+2	0	-2	-3
Oct	+2	+3	+3	+3	+3	+3	+2	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-2	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-2	-2	-1	0	+1	+2
Nov	9	10	10	10	10	10	8	6	3	0	3	6	8	10	10	10	10	10	9	7	4	0	4	7
Dec	+12	+14	+14	+14	+14	+13	+12	+10	+5	0	-5	-10	-12	-13	-14	-14	-14	-13	-12	-10	-6	0	+6	+10

NOTE.—For lower transits the signs must be reversed.

TABLE IX—Showing the effect of the solar diurnal tide upon the time of low water for every hour of the moon's transit, and for the first of each month, expressed in tenths of a minute.

Month.	HOURS OF MOON'S TRANSIT IN ASTRONOMICAL TIME.																							
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Jan.....	-13	-11	-6	0	+6	+11	+13	+14	+15	+15	+15	+14	+13	+11	+6	0	-6	-11	-13	-14	-15	-15	-15	-14
Feb.....	9	8	4	0	4	8	9	10	12	12	12	10	9	7	4	0	4	7	9	10	12	12	12	10
Mar.....	-3	-3	-2	0	+2	+3	+3	+4	+5	+5	+5	+5	+4	+3	+2	0	-2	-3	-4	-5	-5	-5	-5	-4
April.....	+2	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-2	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3	-2	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	+2	+3	+3	+3	+3	+3
May.....	9	7	3	0	3	7	9	9	10	10	10	9	8	7	3	0	3	7	8	9	10	10	10	9
June.....	12	10	6	0	6	10	12	12	14	14	14	13	12	11	5	0	5	11	12	13	14	14	14	12
July.....	13	11	6	0	6	11	13	14	15	15	15	14	13	11	6	0	6	11	13	14	15	15	15	14
Aug.....	9	8	4	0	4	8	9	10	12	12	12	10	9	8	4	0	4	8	9	10	12	12	12	10
Sept.....	+3	+3	+2	0	-2	-3	-3	-4	-5	-5	-5	-5	-4	-3	-2	0	+2	+3	+4	+5	+5	+5	+5	+4
Oct.....	-2	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	+2	+3	+3	+3	+3	+3	+2	+2	+1	0	-1	-2	-2	-3	-3	-3	-3	-3
Nov.....	9	7	3	0	3	7	9	9	10	10	10	9	9	7	3	0	3	7	9	9	10	10	10	9
Dec.....	-12	-11	-6	0	+6	+11	+12	+12	+14	+14	+14	+13	+12	+10	+5	0	-5	-10	-12	-13	-14	-14	-14	-12

NOTE.—For lower transits the signs must be reversed.

TABLE X—Showing the effect of the solar diurnal tide upon the height of high water for every hour of the moon's transit, and for the first of each month, expressed in hundredths of a foot.

Month.	HOURS OF MOON'S TRANSIT IN ASTRONOMICAL TIME.																							
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Jan.....	-18	-13	-6	0	+ 7	+13	+18	+22	+24	+24	+24	+22	+18	+13	+ 6	0	- 7	-13	-18	-22	-24	-24	-24	-22
Feb.....	13	10	4	0	5	10	13	16	18	19	18	16	13	10	4	0	5	10	13	16	18	19	18	16
Mar.....	- 6	- 4	- 2	0	+ 2	+ 4	+ 6	+ 7	+ 8	+ 8	+ 7	+ 7	+ 6	+ 4	+ 2	0	- 2	- 4	- 6	- 7	- 8	- 8	- 7	- 7
April....	+ 3	+ 2	+ 1	0	- 1	- 2	- 4	- 4	- 5	- 5	- 4	- 4	- 3	- 2	- 1	0	+ 1	+ 2	+ 4	+ 4	+ 5	+ 5	+ 4	+ 4
May.....	11	8	4	0	4	9	11	14	15	15	14	13	11	8	4	0	4	9	11	14	15	15	14	13
June.....	16	11	5	0	6	12	16	20	22	23	22	21	16	11	5	0	6	12	16	20	22	23	22	21
July.....	18	13	6	0	7	13	18	22	24	24	24	22	18	13	6	0	7	13	18	22	24	24	23	22
Aug.....	13	10	4	0	5	10	13	16	18	19	18	16	13	10	4	0	5	10	13	16	18	19	18	16
Sept.....	+ 6	+ 4	+ 2	0	- 2	- 4	- 6	- 7	- 8	- 8	- 7	- 7	- 6	- 4	- 2	0	+ 2	+ 4	+ 6	+ 7	+ 8	+ 8	+ 7	+ 7
Oct.....	- 3	- 2	- 1	0	+ 1	+ 2	+ 4	+ 4	+ 5	+ 5	+ 4	+ 4	+ 3	+ 2	+ 1	0	- 1	- 2	- 4	- 4	- 5	- 5	- 4	- 4
Nov.....	11	8	4	0	4	9	11	14	15	15	14	13	11	8	4	0	4	9	11	14	15	15	14	13
Dec.....	-16	-11	- 5	0	+ 6	+12	+16	+20	+22	+23	+22	+21	+16	+11	+ 5	0	- 6	-12	-16	-20	-22	-23	-22	-21

NOTE.—For lower transits the signs must be reversed.

TABLE XI—Showing the effect of the solar diurnal tide upon the height of low water for every hour of the moon's transit, and for the first of each month, expressed in hundredths of a foot.

Month.	HOURS OF MOON'S TRANSIT IN ASTRONOMICAL TIME.																							
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Jan.....	+11	+13	+14	+14	+13	+11	+9	+6	+3	0	-4	-8	-11	-13	-14	-14	-13	-11	-9	-6	-3	0	+4	+8
Feb.....	8	10	11	11	10	8	6	4	2	0	2	6	8	10	11	11	10	8	6	4	2	0	2	6
Mar.....	+3	+4	+5	5	+4	+3	+3	+2	+1	0	-1	-3	-3	-4	-5	-5	-4	-3	-3	-2	-1	0	+1	+3
April....	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-1	0	0	+0	+1	+2	+2	+2	+2	+2	+2	+2	+1	+1	0	-1	-1
May.....	6	8	9	9	8	6	5	3	1	0	2	5	6	8	9	9	8	6	5	3	2	0	2	5
June.....	10	12	13	13	12	10	8	5	3	0	3	7	10	12	13	13	12	10	8	5	3	0	3	7
July.....	11	13	14	14	13	11	9	6	3	0	4	8	11	13	14	14	13	11	9	6	3	0	4	8
Aug.....	8	10	11	11	10	8	6	4	2	0	2	6	8	10	11	11	10	8	6	4	2	0	2	6
Sept.....	-3	-4	-5	-5	-4	-3	-3	-2	-1	0	+1	+3	+3	+4	+5	+5	+4	+3	+3	+2	+1	0	-1	-3
Oct.....	+2	+2	+2	+2	+2	+2	+2	+1	+0	0	-0	-1	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-2	-1	-1	0	+1	+1
Nov.....	6	8	9	9	8	6	5	3	1	0	2	5	6	8	9	9	8	6	5	3	2	0	2	5
Dec.....	+10	+12	+13	+13	+12	+10	+8	+5	+3	0	-3	-7	-10	-12	-13	-13	-12	-10	-8	-5	-3	0	+3	+7

NOTE.—For lower transits the signs must be reversed.

Example of the computation of a tidal ephemeris for the first part of January, 1871.

A	a	B	C	c	D	d	L'	e	f	g	h	i	j	B ₀
<i>d. h. m.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>m.</i>
Dec. 30 6 55.0	+2.7	6 52.3	54 47	-1.0	+3	+11.6	44.4	13.0	11.3	0.4	14.3	0.1	2.8	9.0
31 7 36.5	3.2	7 33.3	54 22	0.7	8	10.9	53.6	12.1	13.3	1.5	14.6	0.6	2.2	9.0
Jan. 1 8 18.8	3.7	8 15.1	54 9	-0.3	12	9.9	58.3	10.9	14.4	2.5	14.8	1.2	1.7	9.0
2 9 2.7	4.2	8 58.5	54 5	0.0	16	8.5	58.4	10.0	15.0	4.0	14.7	2.0	1.3	9.0
3 9 48.9	4.7	9 44.2	54 10	+0.3	19	6.6	54.3	9.1	14.4	5.6	14.3	2.8	0.8	9.0
4 10 37.2	5.1	10 32.1	54 23	0.6	22	4.4	47.1	8.3	13.1	6.8	13.5	3.5	0.6	9.0
5 11 27.5	5.6	11 21.9	54 42	0.8	23	+1.7	37.4	7.6	11.4	7.7	12.7	4.0	0.5	9.1
6 12 19.2	6.0	12 13.9	55 6	1.0	23	-1.2	27.2	7.0	9.0	8.0	11.8	4.0	0.5	9.1

E	Δ ¹	Δ ²	Δ ³	k	l	m	t.h.w.	Q	n	½n	A ₂	Δ ¹	Δ ²	Δ ³	H ₀ +A ₂	p	q	r	h.h.w.
<i>d. h. m.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>
Jan. 1 7 30.3	52.9	..	26.9	-0.8	+1.3	+0.5	31	3.35	-1.55	-.52	3.87	+0.03	..	-.00	23.96	+18	+22	+40	24.32
19 57.2	26.4	..	26.0	..	..	+0.1	57	..	..	..	3.87	.01	..	+0.03	23.95	..	..	.45	23.50
2 8 23.2	48.7	-4.2	24.8	1.2	0.9	-0.3	23	3.40	1.50	.50	3.90	.14	+0.11	.06	23.99	.26	.24	.50	24.49
20 48.0	24.3	0.5	23.9	..	..	0.8	49	..	..	..	3.96	.07	.01	.08	24.05	..	..	.54	23.51
3 9 11.9	45.2	3.5	23.0	1.6	+0.4	1.2	11	3.61	1.29	.43	4.04	.19	.05	.08	24.13	.34	.24	.58	24.71
21 34.9	22.6	0.4	22.2	..	..	1.6	36	..	..	..	4.12	.09	.01	.11	24.21	..	..	.62	23.59
4 9 57.1	42.1	3.1	21.4	1.9	0.0	1.9	55	3.89	1.01	.34	4.23	.20	.01	.10	24.32	.41	.24	.65	24.97
22 18.5	21.0	0.4	20.7	..	..	2.3	21	..	..	..	4.33	.10	.00	.10	24.42	..	..	.68	23.74
5 10 39.2	39.9	2.2	20.3	2.2	-0.5	2.7	37	4.19	0.71	.24	4.43	.19	+0.01	.09	24.52	.47	.24	.71	25.23
22 59.5	20.0	0.3	19.6	..	..	3.0	62	..	..	..	4.52	.09	.00	.10	24.61	..	..	.72	23.89
6 11 19.1	38.7	1.2	19.5	2.3	0.9	3.2	16	4.48	0.42	.14	4.62	.17	-.02	.08	24.71	.49	.23	.72	25.43
23 38.6	19.3	0.2	19.2	..	..	3.4	42	..	..	..	4.70	.08	.00	.09	24.79	..	..	.71	24.08
7 11 57.8	38.0	-0.7	19.1	2.3	1.2	3.5	54	4.74	-0.16	-.05	4.79	+0.12	-.05	.07	24.88	.49	.20	.69	25.57
8 0 16.9	19.0	0.1	18.9	..	..	3.5	20	..	..	..	4.86	.06	.01	+0.05	24.95	..	..	.66	24.29
12 35.8	..	..	19.0	2.2	-1.3	3.5	32	4.92	+0.02	+0.01	4.91	..	..	..	25.00	+0.47	+0.16	+0.63	25.63

E'	k'	l'	m'	t.l.w.	A' ₂	H ₀ -A' ₂	p'	q'	r'	h.l.w.	M	S	Log. sin 2 B	Log. cos 2 B	S cos 2 B	
<i>d. h. m.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>			Log.	No.
Jan. 1 13 43.7	+0.8	+1.4	+2.2	46	3.86	16.23	+0.11	+0.08	+0.19	16.42	4.15	0.92	9.644n	9.953n	9.917n	-0.83
2 2 10.2	..	..	2.5	8	3.88	16.21	..	..	.21	16.01	..	..	..	..	..	..
14 35.6	1.2	1.5	2.7	38	3.93	16.16	.16	.06	.22	16.38	3.97	0.92	9.862	9.837	9.801	0.63
3 2 0.0	..	..	2.9	57	4.00	16.09	..	..	.23	15.86	..	..	..	..	..	..
15 23.4	1.6	1.5	3.1	26	4.08	16.01	.21	+0.03	.24	16.25	3.86	0.92	9.966	9.582	9.548	0.35
4 3 46.0	..	..	3.2	43	4.17	15.92	..	..	.25	15.67	..	..	..	..	..	..
16 7.8	1.9	1.5	3.4	11	4.28	15.81	.25	.00	.25	16.06	3.79	0.92	10.000	8.090n	8.054n	-0.01
5 4 28.8	..	..	3.6	25	4.38	15.71	..	..	.25	15.46	..	..	..	..	..	..
16 49.3	2.2	1.5	3.7	53	4.48	15.61	.28	-.03	.25	15.86	3.76	0.92	9.967	9.576p	9.540p	+0.35
6 5 9.3	..	..	3.7	6	4.57	15.52	..	..	.24	15.28	..	..	..	..	..	..
17 28.8	2.3	1.4	3.7	32	4.66	15.43	.30	.06	.24	15.67	3.78	0.92	9.842	9.857	9.821	0.66
7 5 48.2	..	..	3.7	44	4.75	15.34	..	..	.23	15.11	..	..	..	..	..	..
18 7.3	2.3	1.3	3.6	11	4.83	15.26	.30	.09	.21	15.47	3.86	0.93	9.501n	9.977	9.941	0.87
8 6 26.4	..	..	3.5	23	4.89	15.20	..	..	.19	15.01	..	..	..	..	..	..
18 45.3	+2.2	+1.1	+3.3	49	4.93	15.16	+0.28	-.11	+0.17	15.33	4.00	0.93	9.083p	9.997p	9.965p	+0.92

E'-Continued.	M + S cos 2 B		Log. S sin 2 B	Log. tan β'	Log. M	Log. M ²	M ²	M ² + S ²	2 M S cos 2 B		M ² + S ² + 2 M S cos 2 B		Log. Q
	No.	Log.							No.	Log.			
<i>d. h. m.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>												
Jan. 1 13 43.7	3.32	0.521	9.608p	9.087p	0.618	1.236	17.22	18.07	0.836n	-6.85	11.22	1.050	0.525
2 2 10.2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
14 35.6	3.34	0.524	9.826	9.302	0.599	1.198	15.78	16.63	.701	5.02	11.61	1.065	0.532
3 2 0.0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
15 23.4	3.51	0.545	9.930	9.385	0.587	1.174	14.93	15.78	.436	2.73	13.05	1.116	0.558
4 3 46.0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
16 7.8	3.78	0.578	9.965	9.388	0.579	1.158	14.39	15.24	8.934n	-0.09	15.15	1.180	0.590
5 4 28.8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
16 49.3	4.11	0.614	9.933	9.319	0.575	1.150	14.13	14.99	9.416p	+2.61	17.60	1.245	0.622
6 5 9.3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
17 28.8	4.44	0.647	9.809	9.162	0.577	1.154	14.26	15.12	0.699	5.00	20.12	1.303	0.651
7 5 48.2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
18 7.3	4.73	0.675	9.468p	8.793p	0.587	1.174	14.93	15.79	0.829	6.74	22.53	1.352	0.676
8 6 26.4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
18 45.3	4.92	0.692	9.051n	8.359n	0.602	1.204	16.00	16.86	0.868p	-7.38	24.24	1.385	0.692

APPENDIX No. 6.

MODE OF FORMING A BRIEF TIDE TABLE FOR A CHART.

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The process here described is designed for obtaining such results as are now generally given in a brief tabular form on charts of portions of the western coast of the United States. It became apparent some time ago to the officers of the Coast Survey that the tidal notes furnished on these charts did not enable them to conveniently compute the average tides when wanted for their work, and accordingly Mr. Hilgard, the assistant in charge of the Office, who had become well acquainted with their wants, directed me to endeavor to devise something better. My experience in working on these tides enabled me soon to design the outline of the form now used, which, after various emendations by him and others, being adopted, I planned the scheme of computation that has been followed. Several short series of observations were discussed and tables furnished in accordance with this method before those I shall treat of in this paper were undertaken. The method only deals with the most prominent features of the subject, and yields a first approximation to the effects of the changes in transits, phases, and declinations. Yet, brief as is the final statement of results, it embraces twenty-eight numerical determinations with regard to the general characteristics of the tides at the place of observation. These values are assumed to be average ones, and will be nearer to the truth the longer the series, if proper conditions are fulfilled. Continuous observations of the times and heights of both high and low waters for a month is about the least that will suffice for the formation of a good table by this process.

We proceed as follows: First, we make a primary reduction of the observations in the usual form, which embraces a tabular statement of the times and heights of all the high and low waters, of the times of upper and lower transits of the moon, and of the computed lunitidal intervals for both high and low waters, the lower transits and the intervals derived from them being written in red ink to distinguish them from the others, which are in black. We then plot the heights of high and also of low waters, and in like manner the lunitidal intervals for both, the plottings being arranged in the most convenient way for the work that is to follow. Connecting the points by curves, as it becomes obvious that they should be, we get eight curves, two for the heights of high water, two for the heights of low water, two for the lunitidal intervals for high water, and two for those of low water. We distinguish the curves for lower transit tides by drawing them with red ink, making them agree in color with the numbers on the reduction sheets from which they are derived. It is generally found most convenient to plot all the heights for both high and low waters on one roll, and all the intervals for both on another. We then mark with the appropriate symbols, on these plottings, the times of the moon's cardinal phases and declinations, advancing them as many hours to the right as the mean interval amounts to, in order to refer effects directly to their assumed causes. The plottings are then ready for use.

The next step is to compute the *plane of reference*. This is found from the heights of the low waters as follows: It is apparent from an inspection of the curves for these that the black curve lies about half the time below the red one, and about half the time above it. Now, we use for these tides the mean of all the ordinates for the lower branches of these curves for the plane of reference. We therefore tabulate all the ordinates from which these branches were plotted, observing to use only complete ones, or such as admit of being easily assumed to be so, and in doing so we keep those for each branch separate, and find the separate sums. We then bring these sums together and find the mean of all, which we use as the plane of reference. In all the work that follows this, the height ordinates are either read from the level of the plane of reference or reduced to it.

We next classify for four phases of the moon, extending it to both high and low waters (H. W. L. W.) and to the black and red curves (*b r*) for each, according to the following form:

New ☾ = ●				1st Q = ☾				Full ☾ = ○				3d Q = ☾			
H. W.		L. W.		H. W.		L. W.		H. W.		L. W.		H. W.		L. W.	
<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>
<i>s</i> ₀	<i>s</i> ₁	<i>s</i> ₂	<i>s</i> ₃	<i>s</i> ₄	<i>s</i> ₅	<i>s</i> ₆	<i>s</i> ₇	<i>s</i> ₈	<i>s</i> ₉	<i>s</i> ₁₀	<i>s</i> ₁₁	<i>s</i> ₁₂	<i>s</i> ₁₃	<i>s</i> ₁₄	<i>s</i> ₁₅

We then read off the ordinates from the plotting, and arrange them under the appropriate heads above given, taking an ordinate from each of the four curves at each phase of the moon, and continue this as far as the plotting extends. We then add up these sixteen columns and place the sums of the last eight under those of the first eight in the same order. Adding these again, we get eight sums. Then placing each sum that is under *r* under the *b* preceding and adding again, we reduce the whole to four sums. Then dividing each of these by the whole number of ordinates that have been brought together to produce it, we obtain four mean values. Subtract the two last of these from the two first, algebraically with regard to signs, and divide each difference by 2. The two results thus obtained, taken with the proper signs, show the average effects due to the moon's phases, and appear under the heads of "Spring tides" and "Neap tides" in the final table. These operations may be symbolized in the following formulæ:

$$\begin{aligned}
 s_0 + s_8 &= S_0 & S_0 + S_1 &= S' \\
 s_1 + s_9 &= S_1 & S_2 + S_3 &= S'' \\
 s_2 + s_{10} &= S_2 & S_4 + S_5 &= S''' \\
 s_3 + s_{11} &= S_3 & S_6 + S_7 &= S^{iv} \\
 s_4 + s_{12} &= S_4 & \frac{S'}{n} = a, & \frac{S''}{n} = b, & \frac{S'''}{n_1} = a_1, & \frac{S^{iv}}{n_1} = b_1 \\
 s_5 + s_{13} &= S_5 & & & & \\
 s_6 + s_{14} &= S_6 & \frac{a - a_1}{2} = \pm N, & \frac{b - b_1}{2} = \mp N_1 \\
 s_7 + s_{15} &= S_7 & & & &
 \end{aligned}$$

Where *s*₀, *s*₁, *s*₂, &c., denote the sums of the several columns; *S*₀, *S*₁, *S*₂, &c., the first set of combined sums; *S'*, *S''*, *S'''*, *S^{iv}*, the next set of combined sums; *n* and *n*₁, the number of ordinates brought together; *a* and *a*₁, the resulting mean values for high waters; *b* and *b*₁ for low waters; and *N* and *N*₁, the final results for high and low waters respectively, each of them to be taken with the upper sign for spring tides and the lower sign for neap tides.

This process is based on the general deductions that the effects at new and full moon are nearly alike, and those at the first and third quarters nearly alike; those for upper and lower transits nearly alike in magnitude, but with opposite signs; and that, ordinarily, oscillations above and below the mean level are nearly equal to each other.

We next classify for four positions of the moon in declination, namely, greatest north, passing through zero going south, greatest south, and passing through zero returning north; extending it to both high and low waters (H. W. L. W.) and to the black and red curves (*b r*) for each, according to the following form:

☾ Dec. N.				☾ Dec. 0				☾ Dec. S.				☾ Dec. 0			
H. W.		L. W.		H. W.		L. W.		H. W.		L. W.		H. W.		L. W.	
<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>
<i>s</i> ₀	<i>s</i> ₁	<i>s</i> ₂	<i>s</i> ₃	<i>s</i> ₄	<i>s</i> ₅	<i>s</i> ₆	<i>s</i> ₇	<i>s</i> ₈	<i>s</i> ₉	<i>s</i> ₁₀	<i>s</i> ₁₁	<i>s</i> ₁₂	<i>s</i> ₁₃	<i>s</i> ₁₄	<i>s</i> ₁₅

We then read off the ordinates from the plotting and arrange them under the appropriate heads above given, taking an ordinate for each of the four curves at each of the above positions of the moon, continuing as far as the plotting extends. We then add up these sixteen columns and place the sums of the last eight under those of the first eight, changing the order of the last

eight so as to bring the sums of the second ones of each pair of the last eight under the sums of the first ones of the first eight, and *vice versa*. We then add again and compute the mean values. The first four of these results appear in their proper places in the final table, and the half-sum of each pair of the other four is also placed in the same table. The operations may, perhaps, be more briefly and clearly represented by the following formulæ:

$$\begin{aligned} s_0 + s_9 &= S_0 & \frac{S_0}{n} &= a, & \frac{S_1}{n} &= a_1, & \frac{S_2}{n} &= b, & \frac{S_3}{n} &= b_1, \\ s_1 + s_8 &= S_1 & & & & & & & & \\ s_2 + s_{11} &= S_2 & & & & & & & & \\ s_3 + s_{10} &= S_3 & \frac{S_4 + S_5}{2n_1} &= a_1, & \frac{S_6 + S_7}{2n_1} &= b_1. \\ s_4 + s_{13} &= S_4 & & & & & & & & \\ s_5 + s_{12} &= S_5 & & & & & & & & \\ s_6 + s_{15} &= S_6 & & & & & & & & \\ s_7 + s_{14} &= S_7 \end{aligned}$$

Where $s_0, s_1, s_2, \&c.$, denote the sums of the several columns; $S_0, S_1, S_2, \&c.$, the first set of combined sums; n and n_1 the number of ordinates brought together to make these last; a, a_1, a_2 , the resulting mean values for high waters; and b, b_1, b_2 , for low waters.

This process is based on the general deductions that upper transits at maximum north declination are followed by nearly the same effects as lower transits at maximum south declination, and *vice versa*; that similar effects are observable where the declination is zero according as the moon is going north or south; that the average effects for these last positions should, for a long period, be nearly equal; and, lastly, that oscillations above and below the mean level are in general nearly equal.

We next take the plotting of the lunitidal intervals, and treat it in the same way we did the plotting for heights in the process just described. We shall thus obtain a set of results which we will here indicate by corresponding capital letters, namely: A, A_2, B, B_2, A_1, B_1 .

We may now arrange all these results in a table of the following form:

Moon's declination.	Moon's upper meridian passage.				Moon's lower meridian passage.			
	High water.		Low water.		High water.		Low water.	
	Interval.	Height.	Interval.	Height.	Interval.	Height.	Interval.	Height.
Greatest north	A	a	B	b	A ₂	a ₂	B ₂	b ₂
Zero	A ₁	a ₁	B ₁	b ₁	A ₁	a ₁	B ₁	b ₁
Greatest south	A ₂	a ₂	B ₂	b ₂	A	a	B	b

As an example of this mode of forming a tide-table we will take the work for Sitka, Alaska Territory. We have three short sets of observations of tides made at this place. The first was made in 1841 with a self-registering gauge, and extended from April 17 (N. S.) to May 19. The curves of observation are given on a plate in the *Bulletin de la classe physico-mathématique de l'Académie des Sciences de St. Petersburg*, Tome I, No. 6, from which we took them on tracing-vellum. The plottings of the lunitidal intervals showed that the dates given should be diminished by unity, the reason for it being that the Russian observers doubtless carried their dates to the eastward from Europe, while the Americans carried theirs westward. The heights were read from the traced line of mean level; consequently high waters were treated as positive numbers, and low waters as negative ones. The second set of observations was made in 1855, extending from June 5 to October 13, with the loss of half a month in September. We are indebted to the Russians also for this set, which was made in the mean astronomical time kept at the magnetic observatory, and in English feet and inches, and had to be reduced to mean civil time, and to feet and decimals. The third set was made by the party of Assistant G. Davidson, of the United States Coast Survey, in 1867, extending from August 20 to October 28, the numbers for high water being smallest, or decreasing with rise of tide.

These sets of observations were all reduced and plotted as described in the foregoing paragraphs, and then the plane of reference found for each set as follows in accordance with what has been said:

From the plottings of the heights for 1867, (see the specimens of these plottings, Sketch No. 29:)

<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	<i>Ft.</i>	
14.0	15.4	15.6	16.1	15.0	203.0	13 ordinates.
13.5	15.0	15.7	16.0	15.2	192.1	13 "
14.0	14.0	15.6	15.5	16.5	184.2	12 "
14.1	14.0	15.0	14.8	15.8	171.4	12 "
14.5	13.8	14.7	14.4	16.3	183.4	12 "
15.7	14.1	14.3	13.6	16.6	—	—
16.6	14.7	14.9	13.2	16.8	934.1	(62 "
17.1	15.0	14.6	13.0	15.4	—	—
17.4	14.9	15.7	12.6	14.1	—	15.06
17.3	15.0	15.9	13.4	13.9	—	—
16.9	15.3	16.3	14.3	13.7	—	—
16.2	15.4	15.9	14.5	14.1	—	—
15.7	15.5	—	—	—	—	—
203.0	192.1	184.2	171.4	183.4	—	—

We will take 15.0 feet for the plane of reference for this set of observations.

In the same way we obtain 5.4 feet for the plane of reference for the observations of 1855, and 5.6 feet for that of the observations of 1841. Then for the following operations the ordinates are read from all the plottings in the same way, and those above the plane of reference are treated as positive, those below it as negative. In reading such ordinates it is best to assume an average curve to read to and not follow strictly the various little irregularities of the broken line which represents the observations.

We next read ordinates from the plottings, and classify for four phases of the moon as follows, (see the specimens of these plottings, Sketch No. 29:)

Obs.	New ☾ = ●				1st Q = ☾				Full ☽ = ○				3d Q = ☾			
	H. W.		L. W.		H. W.		L. W.		H. W.		L. W.		H. W.		L. W.	
	<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>r</i>
1867																
	10.4	9.8	— 2.3	0.1	5.9	7.5	3.3	1.1	9.6	9.8	0.8	— 0.4	9.4	7.2	1.1	3.1
	10.0	10.4	— 0.9	— 0.8	7.0	7.7	4.3	1.8	10.7	10.0	— 0.4	1.0	9.3	7.4	0.4	3.7
	10.2	10.9	2.0	— 0.8									8.7	7.8	0.5	3.6
1855																
	10.4	8.4	— 1.6	3.6	6.5	8.0	1.9	3.0	8.8	11.7	4.0	— 2.2	9.5	8.4	3.2	0.9
	10.2	8.5	— 1.0	4.0	6.5	8.9	2.9	2.2	9.5	11.4	2.8	— 2.8	10.0	7.9	2.0	1.6
	10.0	8.6	— 0.7	3.0	6.6	9.3	4.2	1.7	10.1	11.6	1.4	— 2.2	9.9	7.1	1.3	2.6
					6.7	9.2	5.1	1.4	11.6	11.2	— 0.2	— 0.3	9.8	7.3	1.7	5.0
	9.9	10.8	2.1	0.8									8.0	6.6	1.1	4.9
1841	10.7	8.7	— 1.8	1.7	7.8	7.4	0.2	3.3	8.5	10.4	2.8	— 1.2	7.5	7.0	4.2	1.9
	81.8	76.1	— 4.2	11.6	47.0	58.0	21.9	14.5	68.8	76.1	11.2	— 8.1	82.1	66.7	15.5	27.3
	68.8	76.1	11.2	— 8.1	82.1	66.7	15.5	27.3								
	150.6	152.2	7.0	3.5	129.1	124.7	37.4	41.8								
	152.2		3.5		124.7		41.8									
30)	302.8		10.5		253.8		79.2									
	10.1		0.3		7.9		2.5									
	7.9		2.5													
2)	2.2		— 2.2													
Res'ts	± 1.1		± 1.1													

We next read ordinates from the plottings and classify for four positions of the moon in declination as follows, (see the specimens of these plottings, Sketch No. 29:)

Obs.	Dec. N.				Dec. 0				Dec. S.				Dec. 0			
	H. W.		L. W.		H. W.		L. W.		H. W.		L. W.		H. W.		L. W.	
	b	r	b	r	b	r	b	r	b	r	b	r	b	r	b	r
1867	9.9	7.8	-0.2	3.5	9.8	9.8	-0.5	0.3	6.1	7.3	3.6	0.9	9.8	9.7	0.0	-0.4
	9.2	7.5	0.6	3.9	9.9	10.4	-0.9	-0.5	6.7	7.8	4.1	1.6	10.3	9.7	0.0	0.6
	8.8	7.3	-1.5	2.5	9.6	10.5	0.7	0.1								
1855													9.7	7.5	1.7	1.5
	10.3	8.5	-1.3	3.9	6.3	8.2	2.1	2.7	8.7	11.8	4.0	-2.2	10.0	8.6	2.4	1.2
	10.4	8.4	-1.0	4.2	7.2	8.4	1.3	2.7	8.3	10.9	4.2	-1.5	10.2	9.1	1.0	-0.5
	9.5	7.6	-0.3	4.4	8.8	9.2	0.8	2.1	7.4	9.9	4.8	-0.1	11.6	11.2	0.6	-0.3
	8.6	7.3	1.6	5.3					6.9	9.0	5.3	1.1	11.7	11.2	-0.4	-0.2
	8.2	6.6	1.1	4.8	9.7	10.4	1.8	1.1								
1841													9.6	8.6	2.2	2.0
	10.1	7.8	-1.1	3.3	8.3	9.3	1.3	2.0	7.8	9.6	3.5	-1.2	8.6	7.3	3.6	2.7
	85.0	68.8	-2.1	35.8	69.6	76.2	6.6	10.5	51.9	66.3	29.5	-1.4	91.5	82.9	11.1	6.6
	66.3	51.9	-1.4	29.5	82.9	91.5	6.6	11.1								
16)	151.3	120.7	-3.5	65.3	152.5	167.7	13.2	21.6								
					167.7		21.6									
34)					320.2		34.8									
Results	9.5	7.5	-0.2	4.1	9.4		1.0									

We then proceed in the same way with the plottings of the lunital intervals, reading ordinates and classifying for four positions of the moon in declination as follows, (see the specimens of these plottings, Sketch No. 29:)

Obs.	Dec. N.				Dec. 0				Dec. S.				Dec. 0			
	H. W.		L. W.		H. W.		L. W.		H. W.		L. W.		H. W.		L. W.	
	b	r	b	r	b	r	b	r	b	r	b	r	b	r	b	r
1867	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.
	12 32	13 24	19 33	18 57	12 12	12 21	18 33	18 28	13 47	12 39	18 57	19 47	12 33	12 21	18 39	18 52
	11 55	12 57	18 57	18 15	12 42	12 42	18 50	18 50	13 2	11 39	18 12	18 38	12 54	13 0	19 8	19 0
	11 30	12 24	18 10	17 50	13 1	12 57	19 4	19 24								
1855													12 55	12 57	19 22	18 48
	12 8	13 26	19 9	18 39	12 22	12 36	18 36	19 21	13 15	12 6	18 36	19 18	12 26	12 30	18 34	18 12
	12 40	13 51	19 32	18 57	12 24	12 20	18 3	18 32	13 57	12 28	18 57	19 39	12 12	12 12	18 24	18 9
	12 57	14 6	20 6	19 23	12 18	12 18	18 22	18 26	14 3	12 25	19 3	19 51	12 33	12 9	18 32	18 20
	12 36	14 14	19 50	18 48					13 33	12 6	18 42	19 30	12 45	12 52	18 57	18 58
	11 54	13 36	18 54	18 24	13 14	13 10	19 20	19 26								
1841													13 30	13 30	19 57	19 30
	11 12	12 38	18 15	17 48	13 4	13 10	19 0	19 8	12 42	11 24	17 46	18 18	12 27	11 48	18 27	18 3
	109 24	120 36	172 26	167 1	101 17	101 34	149 48	151 35	94 19	84 47	130 13	135 1	114 15	113 19	170 0	167 52
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We may now collect the results of these operations into a general statement like the following :

TIDES AT SITKA.

The two tides of the same day are generally unequal in proportion to the moon's declination. The time and height can be obtained approximately from the following table :

Moon's declination.	Moon's upper meridian passage.				Moon's lower meridian passage.			
	High water.		Low water.		High water.		Low water.	
	Interval.	Height.	Interval.	Height.	Interval.	Height.	Interval.	Height.
	A. M.	Ft.	A. M.	Ft.	A. M.	Ft.	A. M.	Ft.
Greatest north.....	12 8	9.5	19 13	— 0.2	13 26	7.5	18 35	4.1
Zero	12 39	9.4	18 48	1.0	12 39	9.4	18 48	1.0
Greatest south.....	13 26	7.5	18 35	4.1	12 8	9.5	19 13	— 0.2

The interval is to be added to the time of the moon's meridian passage to give the time of high or low water. The time of the moon's upper meridian passage is given in the almanac, and the time of its lower meridian passage is the middle between two successive upper passages. The heights are given in feet and tenths, and show the rise above the level of the average of the lowest low waters, to which level the soundings on the chart are given.

SPRING TIDES.—At the full and change of the moon the high waters will be 1.1 feet higher than the above, and the low waters 1.1 feet lower.

NEAP TIDES.—At the moon's first and last quarters the high waters will be 1.1 feet lower, and the low waters will not fall as low by 1.1 feet.

APPENDIX No. 7.

MEMORANDA RELATING TO THE FIELD-WORK OF THE SECONDARY TRIANGULATION.

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Three orders of triangulation are recognized in the geodetic operations carried on for the survey of the coast:

- I. The primary series, with sides varying from twenty to one hundred miles in length, such as those extending from the St. Croix to Cape Henry, and along an important part of the coast of California.
- II. The secondary triangulation, with sides from five to twenty miles in length, either connected with the primary, or which, starting from independent bases, is being gradually extended over the coasts, sounds, and bays from Cape Henry to the Rio Grande.
- III. The tertiary triangulation, with sides less than five miles, such as the short series which branch off from the secondary, and are carried up the smaller rivers and inlets of the sea.

SELECTION OF STATIONS.

A careful reconnaissance invariably precedes the selection of new points for the continuation of the geodetic work of the survey. The first step will be to decide upon the proportions of the scheme best adapted to the character of the country and for the success and progress of the work, and the next the reconnaissance in detail. In the case of high elevations and an open country, little difficulty will be encountered; but if the hills are densely wooded and tolerably uniform in height, the greatest care and skill are needed to select such intervisible points as are the most favorably situated, not merely for the extension of the triangulation, but to satisfy other conditions imposed by the survey. Should the land be uniformly low and clear, the triangulation may be laid off, as on paper, restricted only in its proportions by the curvature of the earth and the height to which the signal and instrument should be elevated; but if covered with forest or heavily-timbered swamp, the length of the lines will be governed by the labor and expense of opening them, taking into view the possibility of carrying on a smaller series of triangles immediately on the coast, or the alternative of opening additional lines to determine on the shore the detail points required for the surveying operations. In cases of this latter character, the obstacles to accuracy and to progress may be so great as to render it advisable that a direct measurement of the coast be started and continued until such difficult section has been passed.

If the reconnaissance covers any extended portion of the coast, and a scheme be adopted for the geodetic work, the question will arise whether the proposed triangulation, from its proportions, as determined by the character of the country, will need verification before joining on with the principal bases as measured in each section; and if so, at what intermediate points could such subsidiary lines and azimuths be measured and observed for the correction of the distances and directions.

In the performance of the above duty, the assistant will keep steadily in view the requirements alike of the triangulation and of the survey; and it will be his aim so to modify and adjust them, each in the ratio of its value, to the special features of the country under examination, as to produce a plan of triangulation which, while it satisfies the conditions prescribed, will be the most effective

in its results and economical in its execution. The most important of these requirements, beyond the paramount condition of the certain intervisibility of the stations intended to be connected, are:

- I. The adoption of the highest elevations.
- II. The maximum length of line consistent with the limit of 30° prescribed for the least size of an angle. A smaller angle is admissible in quadrilaterals, and also at one end of a base or known line, but not at any new point to be determined.
- III. The forming of quadrilaterals.
- IV. The modifications or changes which can be effected in the position of the proposed stations, so as to avoid, as much as possible, the labor and expense of opening lines through the forest or swamp.
- V. The sweep of the horizon, or of the area to be surveyed, with a view to the easy determination of intermediate stations, and of light-houses, spires, chimneys, or other prominent objects not more than two or three miles apart, for the special use of the plane-table and hydrographical parties.
- VI. The capacity of the station ground to be protected from the destructive effects of storms and waves, and from the ordinary pursuits of man, with a view to the preservation of the station for future use.
- VII. The consideration of the altitude to which the theodolite must be raised to escape the variable refraction incident to the visual ray passing close to the surface of the ground.

The following table will be of use in the reconnaissance, and in arranging the height of the signal and observing tripod to be erected for long lines over water or level land. The line of sight from the telescope to the signal should never be allowed to pass less than six feet above the ground at the tangent point.

Difference in feet between the apparent and true level.

Distance, miles.	Difference in feet for—			Distance, miles.	Difference in feet for—		
	Curvature.	Refraction.	Curvature and refraction.		Curvature.	Refraction.	Curvature and refraction.
1	0.7	0.1	0.6	13	112.8	16.9	95.9
2	2.7	0.4	2.3	14	130.8	19.6	111.2
3	6.0	0.9	5.1	15	150.2	22.5	127.7
4	10.6	1.6	9.0	16	170.8	25.6	145.2
5	16.7	2.5	14.2	17	192.9	28.9	164.0
6	24.0	3.6	20.4	18	216.2	32.4	183.8
7	32.7	4.9	27.8	19	240.9	36.1	204.8
8	42.7	6.4	36.3	20	266.9	40.0	226.9
9	54.1	8.1	44.0	21	294.3	44.1	250.2
10	66.7	10.0	56.7	22	323.0	48.4	274.6
11	80.7	12.1	68.6	23	353.0	52.9	300.1
12	96.1	14.4	81.7	24	384.4	57.7	326.7

$$\text{Curvature} = \frac{\text{square of distance}}{\text{mean diameter of earth}} = \frac{\text{log. square of distance in feet}}{7.6209147}$$

$$\text{Refraction} = \frac{K^2}{R} m, \text{ where } K \text{ represents the distance, } R \text{ the mean radius of the earth, and}$$

m the co-efficient of refraction.

$$\text{Curvature and refraction} = (1-2m) \frac{K^2}{2R}$$

Or, calling h the height in feet, and k the distance in statute miles, at which a line from the height h touches the horizon, taking into account terrestrial refraction, assumed to be of the same value as in the above table, (.075,) we have

$$k = \frac{10}{7.53} \sqrt{h} \quad h = \frac{10}{17.63} k^2$$

As an illustration of the use of the preceding table, let us suppose that a line, A to B, was 18 miles in length over a level plain, and that the instrument could be elevated at either station, by means of a portable tripod, to a height of 20, or 30, or 50 feet. If we determine upon 36.3 feet at A, the tangent would strike the curve at the distance represented by that height in the table, viz., 8 miles, leaving the curvature (decreased by the ordinary refraction) of 10 miles to be overcome. Opposite to 10 miles we find 56.7 feet, and a signal at that height erected at B would, under favorable refraction, be just visible from the top of the tripod at A, or be on the same apparent level. If we now add 8 feet to tripod and 8 feet to signal pole, the visual ray would certainly pass 6 feet above the tangent point, and 20 feet of the pole would be visible from A. Other variations may be made to suit the circumstances, as it rarely happens that in lines across water or level land there are not some slight elevations which could be made available as stations.

If it is desired to ascertain whether two points in the reconnaissance, estimated to be 44 miles apart, would be visible, one from the other, the natural elevations must be, at least, 274 feet above mean tide, or one 227 feet, and the other 327 feet, &c. This supposes that the intervening country is low, and that the ground at the tangent point is not above the mean surface of the sphere. If the height of the ground at this point should be 200 feet above mean tide, then the natural elevations should be 474, or 427 and 527 feet, &c., in height, and the line barely possible. To insure success, the theodolite must be elevated, and at both stations, to avoid high signals.

These are two extreme cases, and the nearest approach to non-visibility allowable on the work. It is always the interest of the assistant so to arrange the height of his signals and observing tripod as to have it in his power to observe on the lower part of the pole, and, consequently, for the longest period during the hours a. m. and p. m. assigned to horizontal angles.

NAMES OF STATIONS.

The station should be called after popular designation of the hill or site on which it is situated; or after some peculiarity in the ground or formation, well known in the neighborhood; or from the name of the owner or tenant of the land; or where neither owner nor distinctive traits are to be found, by such designation as, in the opinion of the assistant, will best serve to attract attention to the special locality. The same name should not occur twice within the same section of country. If it should be necessary to reoccupy the station and the centre cannot be positively identified, the fact should be stated, and the approximate position be designated as No. 2, or by the year of the reoccupation, as, for instance, Red Hill² or Red Hill¹⁸⁶⁸. If the new position is merely in the vicinity of the old station, an entirely new name should be given to it.

SIGNALS.

The following signals are employed in the triangulation, according to circumstances:

- I. The heliotrope carefully adjusted, on a stand or tripod, to the centre of station, and the pointing watched and attended to by an employé trained for the duty. This signal is used when long lines are to be observed, or those rendered difficult by haze, smoke, or other impurities in the atmosphere.
- II. A reflector, such as the frustum of a tin cone, mounted on a stout pole, supported and retained in position by a tripod, and by wire guys, if advisable.
- III. And in short lines, the simple pole supported by a tripod, the diameter of the pole being, in all cases, apportioned to the average distance to surrounding stations.

The height of the pole and dimensions of the tripod; the boarding of the upper and lower part, or the color of the pole, whether black or white, or with alternate bands of each, to insure prompt recognition; and the character of the mark, if any, centered on the top, to be used for identification, will vary with and depend upon the length of the line; the altitude of the station; the background of the signal as seen from the points of observation, and the atmospheric difficulties to be overcome. The marks used in long lines for identification are a tuft or keg, or other object not exceeding fifteen inches in diameter, and others which, in cases of emergency, can be observed upon, such as any article with a clearly defined central apex and within the preceding limit as to size.

In regard to the diameter of the pole to be observed upon, it is evident that, in short lines, it should not exceed the size just sufficient to admit of its being distinctly seen, as all beyond that is a source of error, arising from the additional range given to the bisecting thread. In the tertiary triangulation the diameter varies from two to five inches, and, in the secondary, from five to eight inches.

In the erection or use of any kind of signal no chance for an error in the determination of the angle should be allowed by a want of care and precision in centering the mark to be observed upon, exactly over the centre of the station. And should this source of error be at any time suspected an examination is promptly made, and if found to exist, the distance and direction of the point, or centre of the object actually observed upon from the centre of the true station, should be measured and recorded for the correction of the angles. See formula for eccentricity of signal.

In no case should the foot of the pole be inserted in or be allowed to come in contact with the earthenware cone, or other article buried as an underground mark. Six or eight inches of earth carefully packed above the cone or block, and upon this a square foot or so of board, upon which the pole can rest, will be sufficient to afford a foothold when such is necessary, and, at the same time, to prevent any displacement of or injury to the mark, in case the pole should be roughly handled or blown down.

TRIPODS AND SCAFFOLDS.

The tripod and scaffold, which are frequently erected for the elevation of the instrument and observer, in order to obtain a longer length of line or to escape the troubled condition of the atmosphere usually lying immediately over the low, flat lands bordering the coasts and shores, vary in height from 10 to 60 feet, and are made of scantling purchased for the purpose, or of materials obtained from the forest, and are built in general accordance with the plans and specifications given in the annual reports. While a strict adherence to uniformity in the details of the construction is not possible, so much depending upon the means and facilities at the disposal of the assistant and upon a proper regard to economy, the general principles of strength and solidity, in both tripod and scaffold, are strictly observed, by a proper spread and anchoring of the feet, a thorough bracing of the legs, and a compact fitting of the cap to the top of the tripod. A careful attention to these points will secure perfect immobility while the observations are being made, and sufficient firmness to keep the scaffold entirely and always free from contact with the tripod, and to enable both structures to resist the most violent storms.

The following description and plan of a small portable tripod and scaffold may be of service, the height being well adapted for short lines on the southern coast:

Tripod.—This is made of three legs 18 feet long and six inches in diameter, bolted together, 3 inches from the top, with an inch bolt, 16 inches long. After they are fitted together at the head, the spread being 13 feet, and before raising, one of the braces, *ee*, is screwed to the two outside legs so as to keep them in place while raising the tripod by the third leg. It is then settled two feet in the ground, care being taken to level it by the braces *ee*, which are to be screwed on with wooden screws.

Scaffold.—4 posts, 16½ feet long and 5 inches square.

8 cross-pieces, 7 feet long and 6 inches by 1½, *a a*.

3 cross-pieces, 7 feet long and 6 inches by 1, *b b*.

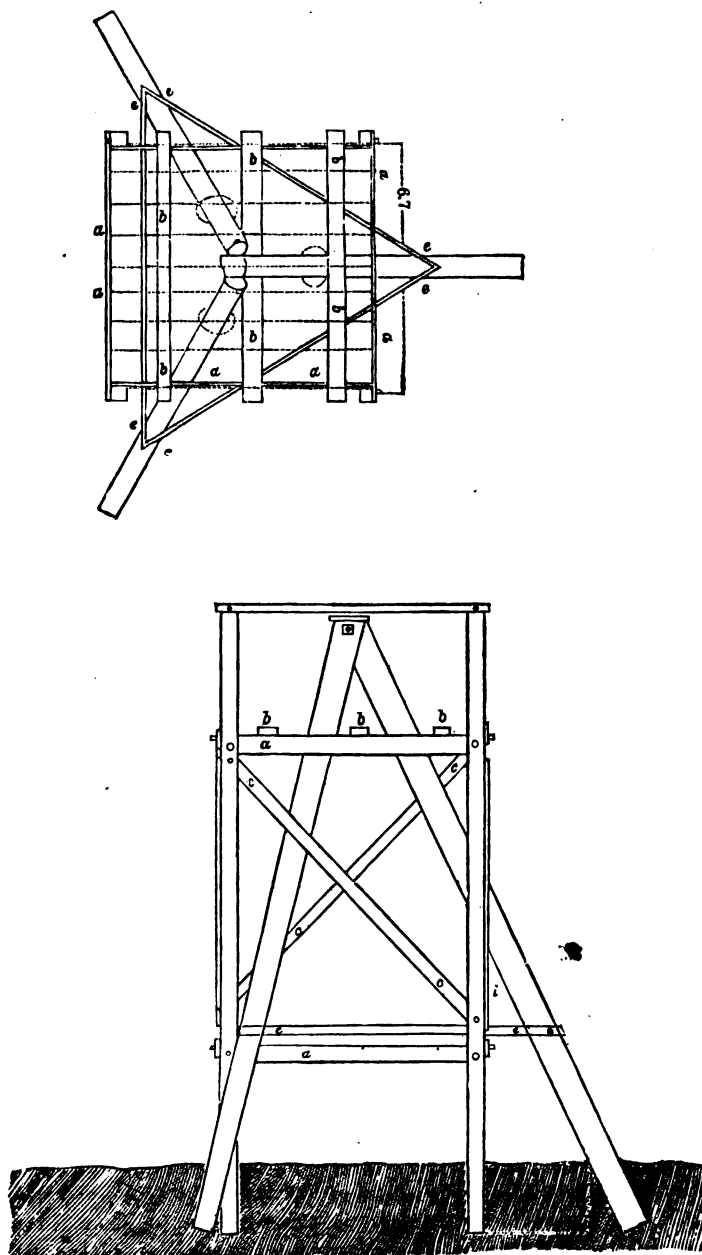
4 braces, 10 feet long and 5 inches by 1½, *cc*.

8 flooring pieces, 7 feet 3 inches long and 9½ by 1, with holes for the tripod legs.

The end posts are those on which the braces and cross-pieces screw on the outside, and which are to be fastened together in pairs, when on the ground, so that it may be raised after the manner of a bedstead or house frame. The braces *cc* are to be bolted to the upper ends to steady the posts when raising them. All the holes in the posts, cross-pieces, and braces are to be identical as to plan and size, as also the pieces themselves, so as to have no mistakes, and when raised the scaffold fits to the tripod as shown in the drawing. The scaffold is levelled by the cross-pieces and adjusted, and in firm position after the floor is on, so as to be free from the tripod. The floor is to be 2 feet 10 inches below the top of the tripod. Three iron knees are screwed to the tripod legs

near the top, so that the triangular piece for the theodolite can be bolted to them. This piece is made of two pieces of one-inch plank screwed together across the grain, and then painted. Holes are made in the floor for the tent posts, and wire guys are sometimes required for the scaffold.

The above takes about two hours to put up. One large and two small wrenches are necessary; also a bag to contain the screws, nuts, &c. Should more than one be needed, they should be painted different colors, but be in all other respects exactly alike, in order that one can be used to repair the other.



THE UNDERGROUND STATION MARKS.

The station marks include the underground and surface marks; the former to be buried and the latter to be thrown up for the preservation of the centre and of the position of the station.

The essential requisites for an underground mark or one buried below the frost and plow line, and beyond the reach of ordinary accident or interference, say three feet, in the clear, below the surface, are: indestructibility, peculiarity, capacity to resist displacement in case it should be accidentally struck, cheapness, and, finally, want of value for any of the ordinary purposes of life, as a protection against cupidity. The following marks, partaking more or less of these essential qualities, have been adopted in the survey.

1. The frustum of a hollow stoneware cone, called the Hassler cone. The dimensions for primary stations are for the upper and lower diameters and the height 8, 12, and 15 inches, respectively.

2. One similar in shape to the preceding, but made of iron, and occasionally with a rim like that of a hat, encircling the larger diameter, upon which are inscribed in the casting the words "U. S. Coast Survey."

3. A hollow stoneware pyramid.

4. A short column of marble, granite or sandstone, manufactured for the purpose, and in some cases placed above the cone, the top reaching within six inches of the surface.

5. A block composed of brick or stones and hydraulic cement.

6. A bottle with three others just below the surface pointing to the lower one.

The centre of the station in the cone is either the centre of the periphery or the intersection of two lines drawn on the head of a copper tack driven in a stub placed and packed inside of cone, and sometimes extending within a foot of the surface; or, when a block is used, by the intersection of cross-lines on the head of a copper bolt inserted for the purpose. The initials U. S. C. S. are occasionally cut upon the block.

Of these and other varieties of underground marks which have been adopted at times from choice and again from necessity, the stoneware or iron cones are clearly to be preferred.

THE SURFACE STATION MARKS.

The surface marks are so varied in their character, and depend so much upon the nature of the ground, that no special rules can be established for their selection. What would be highly appropriate in one case would be equally inappropriate in another; and at many localities, such as those affected by the winds and waves and unavoidable as stations from the necessities of the work, no marks whatever can be arranged or erected with any hope of permanency, except at considerable expense. As the object of the surface marks is to secure the position and recognition of the station at any time hereafter, it is evident that the general principles which should govern in each case, to the full extent to which the locality will admit of their application, are, permanency or durability, facility with which they can be recognized, and the absence of value for any domestic or farm purpose. The following methods of marking have been employed in the survey:

1. A hole, an inch or two in diameter, drilled in the rock on which the signal stands, and filled with lead, sulphur, or a copper bolt.

2. In the case of earth, a stone block, pillar, or post, marking the centre of the station, and three others, two in line and one at right angles, equidistant from the centre.

3. A large rock rolled to centre and there sunk, or a block constructed of brick or stones and hydraulic cement, with the usual drilled hole and bolt of lead, copper, or sulphur.

4. An iron screw-pile, the centre being marked on the cap, and also on a stub inside of tube, the top of stub having been previously covered with a disc of copper sheeting, on which the initials of the survey and date are punctured.

5. Owing to the requirements of the survey, many of the stations are located on the immediate line of coast, or on the margin of the low shores of the Gulf and Southern sounds. When situated on a sand knoll or hill, the point is secured by a screw-pile, or a stone block packed in a box or framework of wood; and by the introduction, at and around the station point, of clay or marsh mud, or other foreign substance convenient to the locality, and the knoll protected from the moving effect of the wind by abattis, constructed of a circle, or circles of stakes intertwined with brushwood, an accumulation of sand being less objectionable than the denuding of the station marks.

6. Or, in case of a raised beach, subject to being washed away during a heavy gale, or by the slower action of the currents, beside the usual station marks, a point of reference is established back

from the shore line, and its relation to the centre of the station, determined by a careful measurement of the distance and azimuth between the two, so that the duplicate point may be used, or another established as an eccentric station, should such be needed at any time hereafter.

7. When the station is situated on the margin of a marsh, or a wooded swamp, it is secured by a screw-pile, or long pieces of scantling forced as far as possible into the yielding soil, and projecting two or three feet above the surface.

8. Beside the natural elevations occupied as stations, those of an artificial character have been made available whenever it was expedient to do so, such as light-houses, towers, steeples, houses, barns, &c. The centre of the station, when it can be marked, is designated, in the case of stone or cement, by the usual drilled hole and bolt; or, where metal is found, by a point within a triangle, both deeply engraved; or, in the case of wood, by a wooden pin driven in an auger-hole bored within a triangle cut, or formed by copper tacks, or by a piece of copper sheeting nailed to the wood and marked as above.

9. In addition to one or the other of the above marks, to be selected according to its special applicability to the case, the position is secured, whenever possible, by a circular trench, either left open or filled with charcoal or other substance foreign to the position, and then covered up, or by a mound of earth or pyramid of stones covering the surface marks.

10. By points of reference, such as measurements and magnetic courses, from the centre of the station to rocks in situ, stone walls, houses, trees, stumps, stakes in the prolongation of the lines to other stations, or to some prominent hill or building, and to other more or less permanent objects, artificial or natural. When the points referred to are within measuring distance, they should be designated by a triangle or other appropriate mark.

11. By a written description and topographical plan of the ground, its surroundings, and approaches, including the station marks, the points of reference, and the courses and distances thereto. The name of the owner or tenant of the land, and of the resident or neighbor who has been requested to take charge of the station, or of others who will know most about its position, should be given.

12. And, finally, at important stations, by views and sketches of the locality and its peculiarities, from different points, as a further means of identification.

The stone pillars or posts are from four to six inches square, and vary in length from twenty-four to thirty inches; the blocks or monuments, from eight to twenty-four inches square, and from eighteen to twenty in depth, and in all cases sunk nearly level with the ground. The usual cross-lines to define the actual centre are drawn on these as well as on the bolts, and the letters U. S. C. S. in some cases cut upon the stone.

The distance of the three surface marks, whether of stone or cedar, as referred to in No. 2, should be uniformly six feet from the centre of station, unless a different distance is unavoidable from the nature of the ground. Each should have an arrowhead on it, pointing to the centre of the station, and they should be placed North, South, and East, in order to facilitate the search, should one or two be covered up or lost. The distances and courses, however, are always given in the description of stations.

Too great care cannot be taken for the security and identification of the station.

THE OBSERVATIONS AND RECORDS.

Uniformity in conducting the field operations, and in the order in which the observations are recorded, should be strictly observed.

1. The number of the repeating theodolite, its size, and the order of its graduation, whether from left to right, or right to left, should be entered at the commencement of each volume.

2. The angles should be measured in the direction of the increasing numbers on the circle, so that, in all cases, the first reading may be subtracted from the second, and the station first pointed at should be the first named.

3. Whatever may be the number of repetitions of which each series may consist, those taken in the direct position of the telescope should be separated from those taken in the reversed position.

4. If the telescope cannot be reversed, except by being lifted from its supports, the verniers should be re-read after reversal.

5. In the determination of important angles, the pointings should be so arranged as to fall upon as many different parts of the circle as the proposed number of measurements will permit, with a view to eliminate any error of graduation or eccentricity.

6. When the angle measured is subject to a correction for phase, the direction of the sun and the time should be given, as well as the form and dimensions of the tin cone or other reflecting object observed upon.

7. The closing of the circle in the secondary triangulation, or the measurement of the angle between the last station and the first, should be made with the same care with which the regular angles were determined.

8. The observations should follow in the record in the order in which they were taken. The angle between the signal and sun for computing the correction for phase should follow the observations to which it belongs, and when the station is eccentric, the fact is mentioned at the top of the page, and the additional angle and distance required recorded in full.

Economy of pages or space in the record-book is of little consequence in comparison with irregularities in the record.

It would add to the completeness of the season's records if a plan of the triangulation executed should be attached to the first volume; and, also, if at the commencement of each station, the telescope, fixed at zero, should be pointed at the first station, and then, following the graduation, to the next, and so on to the starting point, completing the horizon and recording the reading in each case, so as to obtain the approximate value of the different angles to be measured.

The following abbreviations denoting the kind of signal observed upon, its appearance, &c., are those generally adopted in the survey. Too great detail in this matter is not considered necessary, having no weight in the computations; as in cases where the angle is really believed to be affected by the condition of the atmosphere in either magnifying, distorting, or giving too great motion to the signal, the observer will say so, and, after giving his reasons, will reject the observations; and if he does not, the computer is rarely, if ever, authorized to do so.

The record-book, for horizontal angles, is prepared with printed headings for the different columns, showing the order in which the details are to be entered.

ABBREVIATIONS.

<i>Signal.</i>		<i>Degree of Visibility.</i>	
Heliotrope.....	H.	Distinct.....	dt.
Cone.....	C.	Bright.....	br.
Pole.....	P.	Faint.....	ft.
Tuft.....	T.	Flaming.....	fl.
Crotch.....	Cr.	Diffuse.....	dif.
<i>Steadiness.</i>		<i>Weather.</i>	
Steady.....	st.	Clear.....	cl.
Tremulous.....	tr.	Flying Clouds.....	fy. cl.
Moving.....	mg.	Cloudy.....	cly.
<i>Figure.</i>		<i>Size.</i>	
Round.....	r.	Point.....	pt.
Oval.....	ov.	Small.....	sm.
Irregular.....	ir.	Large.....	lg.

NUMBER OF OBSERVATIONS.

The number of sets of repetitions required for the determination of any one angle must depend upon the value to be attached to the result. In the secondary triangulation in which the length of the sides varies from five to twenty miles, and especially in cases where such triangulation is the most extended which the nature of the country will admit of, and the results of which become in consequence of primary importance, the angle should be determined by not less than six sets, each consisting of six repetitions in the direct and six in the reversed position of the telescope, or twelve

sets of three in the D and three in the R. If the triangles belong to the tertiary series, the sides being five miles and under in length, the number of sets will vary from three to six, according to the distance along the coast over which the chain will extend before a verification can be effected by connection with a line of the secondary triangulation, or by the measurement of a subsidiary base. In this class of angles, each set is made up of three repetitions in the D and three in the R, in order to increase the number of separate results with a view to comparison and the elimination of error.

While a minimum number of measurements may be prescribed for each angle belonging to the two orders of triangulation referred to, the maximum must be left entirely to the judgment of the observer. In forming this judgment the elevation of the instrument; the differently refracting media through which the line of sight passes, as over alternate sections of land, marsh, and water; the lateral refraction incident to long lanes opened through the forest or swamp; the appearance of the signal and the condition of the atmosphere, will be taken into consideration, and the observer, from one cause or another, may deem it advisable to multiply his observations until he becomes satisfied that he has obtained the value of the angle, or until an apparently discordant result is neutralized or proved to be exceptional.

In the case of auxiliary points determined with a concluded angle, such as light-houses, spires, chimneys, &c., and others specially thrown in between the secondary and tertiary stations to facilitate the operations of the topographical and hydrographical parties, a single measurement of six repetitions, three in the D, and three in the R, will be sufficient. Care should be taken, however, that the unobserved angle should not greatly differ from 90° , and especially that each determination of this character should have its check or verification by a second determination from a different base.

THE LIMIT OF ERROR.

Assuming about $6''$ to be the limit of error in triangles of the secondary order, and about $12''$ in those of the tertiary series, it is certain that to secure the desired degree of accuracy the observer should give his careful attention, seriatim, to the following points:

1. To the diameter and centering of each of the signals to be observed upon.
2. To the stability of the stand or tripod on which the theodolite rests.
3. To the centering of the instrument, and to its adjustment for parallax, collimation and level.
4. To his personal comfort when observing, by having the eye and telescope at the same height when standing in a natural position, and by avoiding the necessity for any strain on the body or twist in the neck to look at any particular signal.
5. To the preservation of the levels while observing, and to a certain degree of rapidity in the pointing consistent with a clear and decided bisection of the signal.
6. To taking the different sets required for the determination of the angle, part on one day and part on another, or dividing them between the a. m. and p. m. periods for observing.
7. To declining to observe under any manifestly improper or doubtful condition of the atmosphere, as shown principally by the signals.

The observations taken on a day when the sky is entirely overcast from sunrise to sunset are the most reliable, and next in value are those taken during a calm afternoon when the sky is wholly clear. The a. m. observations made before the sun has dissipated the vapors of the night, or has quieted down the irregularities in the lower stratum of the atmosphere by an equalization of the temperature, are believed to be the most uncertain. These irregularities may be recognized by an unusual refraction or elevation of the signals above the horizon, beside the jumping, duplication, or distortion of the image, and the greater the vertical refraction, the greater will be the probability of a slight lateral deviation in the ray.

After the preceding precautions have been strictly observed and the prescribed number of measurements taken, the next step will be to examine the separate values of each angle with a view to ascertain the probable accuracy of the pointings.

Assuming that repeating theodolites of the highest character are employed, the probable error of any angle in the secondary triangulation should not exceed $0''.7$ or $0''.8$, and this result is generally attained when, in a series of not less than six separate sets, each of six repetitions in the

direct and six in the reversed position of the telescope, the difference between the highest and lowest of those values is from five to six seconds, and when the number is increased to twelve the difference between the extremes does not exceed about ten seconds.

The above differences are merely recommended as a general test to be applied to the observations before the assistant leaves the station. It is not improbable that after the prescribed number of sets has been taken a critical examination of the values, and of the circumstances under which they were obtained, will show that additional measurements are necessary or advisable. There are other errors beside those of pointing, which, notwithstanding every precaution, may largely increase the probable error of the resulting angle. The fact of an agreement among separate measurements is not a proof of having obtained the correct value of the angle unless those measurements were made under different conditions of the atmosphere, and during a. m. and p. m. to guard against an altogether one-sided refraction and illumination of the signal.

PROBABLE ERROR.

$o, o^1, o^2, \&c.$ = the observed values of the angle.

n = number of such values, or sets of repetitions.

x_o = their arithmetical mean.

Δ = differences between x_o and $o, o^1, \&c.$

Σ = symbol denoting sum.

ϵ = mean error.

r = probable error of any one of the observed values.

r_o = probable error of x_o .

$$\epsilon = \sqrt{\frac{\Sigma \Delta^2}{n-1}} \quad r = 0.6745 \sqrt{\frac{\Sigma \Delta^2}{n-1}} \quad r_o = \frac{r}{\sqrt{n}}$$

$o, o^1, o^2, \&c.$	x_o	Δ	Δ^2
o			
61 32 10.0	13.0	-3	9
12.0		-1	1
13.0		-0	0
16.0		+3	9
17.0		+4	16
10.0		-3	9
13.0			
		14	44

$n-1=5$ = co. log	9.30103
$\Sigma \Delta^2=44$	1.64345
	0.94448
ϵ	0.47224 = 2".97
log 0.6745	9.82898
r	0.30122 = $\pm 2''.00$
$\sqrt{6}$	0.38908
r_o	9.91214 = $\pm 0''.82$

$o, o^1, o^2, \&c.$	x_o	Δ	Δ^2
o			
45 44 22.0	23.5	-1.5	2.25
30.0		+6.5	42.25
24.2		+0.7	0.49
26.4		+2.9	8.41
18.5		-5.0	25.00
30.0		+6.5	42.25
20.6		-2.9	8.41
23.2		-0.3	0.09
25.0		+1.5	2.25
18.1		-5.4	29.16
25.0		+1.5	2.25
19.0		-4.5	20.25
23.5			
		39.2	183.06

$n-1=11$ = co. log	8.95861
$\Sigma \Delta^2=183.06$	2.26259
	1.22120
ϵ	0.61060 = 4".08
log 0.6745	9.82898
r	0.43958 = $\pm 2''.75$
$\sqrt{12}$	0.53959
r_o	9.89999 = $\pm 0''.79$

Or, using only the differences or residuals, according to the formulæ given by Schott, page 308, 1856, and without employing logarithms,

$$r = 0.845347 \frac{\Sigma \Delta}{\sqrt{n(n-1)}}, \text{ or } r = 0.84 \frac{\Sigma \Delta}{n-1} \quad r_o = \frac{r}{\sqrt{n}}$$

1st example, as above.

2d example, as above.

$$r = 0.845 \frac{14}{5.48} = 2''.15$$

$$r = 0.845 \frac{39.2}{11.49} = 2''.88$$

$$r_o = \frac{2.15}{2.45} = 0''.88$$

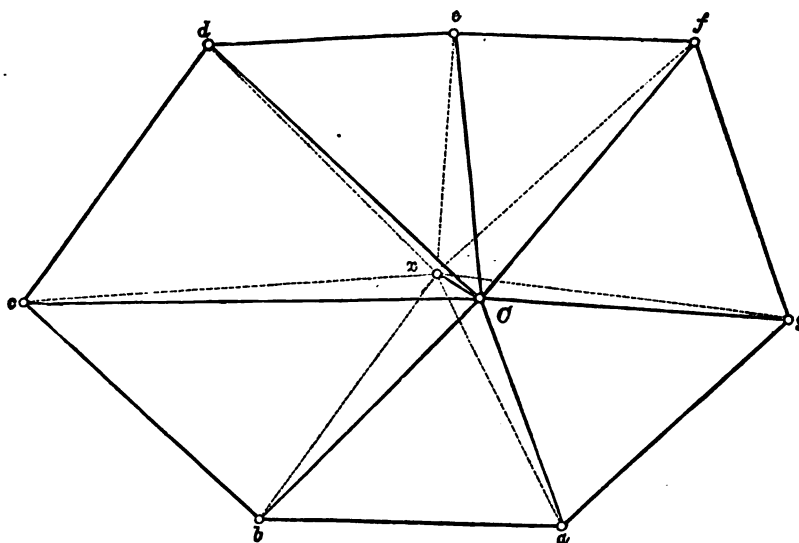
$$r_o = \frac{2.88}{3.46} = 0''.83$$

The number of measurements required for each angle having been taken, the next step will be to apply to each, or to their arithmetical mean, as the case may be, the corrections for phase, or eccentricity of the object observed upon, or those due to the occupation of an eccentric station. The angles in the abstract being corrected accordingly, if any such correction should be necessary, the final computation of the triangle sides will be commenced by computing the spherical excess, and by the distribution among the angles of the error found in the triangle.

The examples given in illustration of the following formulæ for reduction to centre of station, phase in tin cone, eccentricity of signal, and spherical excess, are believed to cover every possible case.

REDUCTION TO CENTRE OF STATION.

When the centre of the station cannot be occupied, the theodolite is adjusted at a point as close as possible to the centre, which new point is called the eccentric station. To be able to reduce the angles measured at the eccentric to the centre of the true station, it is necessary that the distance between the two should be measured with the utmost exactness, and that the angle at x , between the true centre and one of the stations of the triangle, be carefully determined.



C = centre of station.

x = eccentric position of instrument.

r = the distance Cx.

o = the angle at x between two signals, a and b .

y' = the angle at x between C and the left-hand signal a .

a = the distance Ca.

b = the distance Cb.

C = the unknown angle at C.

$$\sin 1'' = 4.6855749$$

$$\text{co. sin } 1'' = 5.3144251$$

The signals are all supposed to be situated to the right of C, following each other in azimuthal order.

$$C = o + \frac{r \sin (o + y')}{b \sin 1''} - \frac{r \sin y'}{a \sin 1''}$$

The sign given for each term of the formula will be governed by that of the sine of $o + y$ and of y .

Example.—Triangle axb.

$r = \log 2^m.2145$	0.3452757	$r = 2^m.2145$	0.3452757
$\sin (o + y') = 89^\circ 45' 20''$..	9.9999960 +	$\sin y' = 28^\circ 29' 30''$	9.6785465 +
co. log b	6.0855685	co. log a	6.1870866
co. sin $1''$	5.3144251	co. sin $1''$	5.3144251
	1.7455653.... + 55''.66		1.5253339.... - 33''.52
	- 33''.52		

$$C = 61^\circ 15' 50'' + 22''.14 = 61^\circ 16' 12''.14$$

Example.—Triangle exg.

$r = \log 2^m.2145$	0.3452757	$r = 2^m.2145$	0.3452757
$\sin (o + y') = 330^\circ 20' 40''$..	9.6944163 -	$\sin y' = 236^\circ 24' 15''$	9.9206249 -
co. log g	6.0910863	co. log e	6.1429692
co. log sin $1''$	5.3144251	co. log sin $1''$	5.3144251
	1.4452034.... - 27''.87		1.7232949.... + 52''.88
	+ 52''.88		

$$C = 93^\circ 56' 25'' + 25''.01 = 93^\circ 56' 50''.01$$

When a large number of angles have been observed at an eccentric station, and different combinations are required, it is recommended that the directions to the different signals be arranged in the order of their azimuths, starting from the line xC , as shown in the following example, and that the correction for each line be computed by the formula

$$\frac{r \sin y^1}{a \sin 1''}$$

Angle.	Under 180° .	Over 180° .
$(o + y)$	+	-
y^1	-	+

By adding or subtracting the corrections for the two lines inclosing the special angle according to the signs given in this table, the reduction to the centre and its sign will be obtained. The direction to the right-hand signal always represents $(o + y)$.

Example.

	x to C 0° or 180°	x to a y^1	x to b y^2	x to c y^3	x to d y^4	x to e y^5	x to f y^6	x to g y^7
Direction	$00^\circ 00' 00''$	$28^\circ 29' 30''$	$89^\circ 45' 20''$	$139^\circ 28' 40''$	$185^\circ 32' 10''$	$236^\circ 24' 15''$	$280^\circ 14' 50''$	$330^\circ 20' 40''$
Sine		9.67855	9.99999	9.81274	8.98441	9.92062	9.99302	9.69442
Log r		0.34528	0.34528	0.34528	0.34528	0.34528	0.34528	0.34528
Co. log dist.		6.18709	6.08587	5.92010	5.99965	6.14297	6.04576	6.09109
Co. sin $1''$		5.31443	5.31443	5.31443	5.31443	5.31443	5.31443	5.31443
		1.52535	1.74557	1.39255	0.64377	1.72330	1.09849	1.44522
		"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Correction		$a = 33.52$	$b = 55.66$	$c = 24.69$	$d = 4.40$	$e = 52.88$	$f = 49.94$	$g = 27.88$

Hence, the corrections would be, for the angle between

	"	"	°	'	"	"	°	'	"
<i>a</i> and <i>b</i>	=	+ 55.66—33.52	and	<i>C</i>	=	61 15 50 + 22.14	=	61 16 12.14	
<i>a</i> "	<i>c</i>	=	+ 24.69—33.52	"	<i>C</i>	=	110 59 10— 8.83	=	110 59 01.17
<i>a</i> "	<i>d</i>	=	— 4.40—33.52	"	<i>C</i>	=	157 02 40—37.92	=	157 02 02.08
<i>c</i> "	<i>e</i>	=	—52.88—24.69	"	<i>C</i>	=	96 55 35—77.57	=	96 54 17.43
<i>f</i> "	<i>g</i>	=	—27.88 + 49.94	"	<i>C</i>	=	50 05 50 + 22.06	=	50 06 12.06
<i>g</i> "	<i>a</i>	=	+ 33.52 + 27.88	"	<i>C</i>	=	58 08 50 + 61.40	=	58 09 51.40
<i>f</i> and <i>a</i>	=	+ 33.52 + 49.94	and	<i>C</i>	=	108 14 40 + 83.46	=	108 16 03.46	

The above eccentricity may be considered much greater than the average. Occasionally it is very small, as when, by some mistake, the instrument, mounted on a high tripod, cannot be adjusted exactly over the centre of station, but a few inches off, in one direction or the other. The distance and direction, in all cases, should be most carefully determined; and, if the eccentricity is large, the triangle sides, or distances, should be re-computed with the observed angles corrected by an approximate reduction to the centre.

CORRECTION FOR PHASE IN TIN CONES USED AS SIGNALS.

x = station of observer.

C = the sun; or, *x**C*, the azimuth of sun.

y = angle between sun and reflecting cone.

a = distance between observer and cone.

r = mean radius of cone.

If the pointing is made on the bright reflecting line exhibited by the cone, then

$$\text{correction} = \pm \frac{r \cos \frac{1}{2}y}{a \sin 1''}$$

but if there is no such reflection, and the pointing be made on the white illuminated part of the cone,

$$\text{correction} = \pm \frac{r \cos^2 \frac{1}{2}y}{a \sin 1''}$$

Examples.

Bright phase.		White phase.	
<i>r</i> = 0 ^m .215	9.33244	<i>r</i> = 0 ^m .215	9.33244
<i>y</i> = 89° 40', cos $\frac{1}{2}$	9.85074	<i>y</i> = 89° 40', cos $\frac{1}{2}$	9.85074
<i>a</i> = 18206 ^m , co. log	5.73979	cos $\frac{1}{2}$	9.85074
sin 1'' co. log	5.31443	<i>a</i> = 18206 ^m , co. log	5.73979
		sin 1'' co. log	5.31443
correction = 1''.72	0.23740	1''.22	0.08814
<i>r</i> = 0 ^m .215	9.33244	<i>r</i> = 0 ^m .215	9.33244
<i>y</i> = 176°, cos $\frac{1}{2}$	8.54282	<i>y</i> = 176°, cos $\frac{1}{2}$	8.54282
<i>a</i> = 18206 ^m , co. log	5.73979	cos $\frac{1}{2}$	8.54282
sin 1'' co. log	5.31443	<i>a</i> = 18206 ^m , co. log	5.73979
		sin 1'' co. log	5.31443
correction = 0''.08	8.92948	0''.003	7.47230

The bright phase belongs exclusively to the curved cones usually employed as signals in the primary and secondary triangulation.

The line of reflection, or the illumination, is always on the same side with the sun. If, therefore, the direction to the second signal is on the same side of the reflecting cone as the sun, the correction is additive to the observed angle; if on the opposite side, subtractive. If both signals are reflecting, or illuminated cones, the difference between the two additive or subtractive corrections, as the case may be, is the correction to be applied \pm to the angle.

The angle between the sun and the signal should be measured immediately after completing the set of repetitions to which the correction must be applied. Should the angle be omitted, but the time be recorded, the azimuth of the sun may be computed. It should be also matter of record whether the cone reflects or merely shows white.

CORRECTION FOR ECCENTRICITY OF SIGNAL.

C=centre of station.

x =the eccentric object, or part of signal observed upon.

r =the measured eccentricity.

a =the station of observer; also, the distance aC .

$$\text{Correction} = \pm \frac{r}{a \sin 1''}$$

Let us suppose, for example, that, during the occupation of the stations, a , b , c , and d , the pole at C was out of adjustment, or that x the object observed upon was not in the vertical of C, and that, to correct the error, the following measurements were made of the chord, or the perpendicular, from C to the different directions, viz: $0^m.155$, $0^m.293$, $0^m.182$, and $0^m.096$.

$r=0^m.155$, log.....	9.19033	$r=0^m.293$, log.....	9.46687
$a=6500^m$, log $a \sin 1''$	8.49849	$b=8206^m$, log $b \sin 1''$	8.59971
correction= $4''.92$	0.69185	correction= $7''.36$	0.86716
$r=0^m.182$, log.....	9.26007	$r=0^m.096$	8.98227
$c=12020^m$, log $c \sin 1''$	8.76548	$d=10008^m$, log $d \sin 1''$	8.68592
correction= $3''.12$	0.49459	correction= $1''.98$	0.29635

The diagram shows that in the triangles aCb , bCc , and cCd , the corrections to the observed angles should be

	"		"		"
for Cab ..	+ 4.92	Cbc	+ 7.36	Ccd	+ 3.12
for Cba	- 7.36	Ccb	- 3.12	Cdc	+ 1.98

SPHERICAL EXCESS.

Every angle measured in the ordinary operations of geodesy is a spherical angle, and consequently the sum of the three observed angles of any triangle should, theoretically, exceed 180° . This spherical excess becomes appreciable only when the sides are from four to five miles in length; and being so small a quantity in proportion to the errors of observation, it is entirely overlooked in triangles of the third order.

In the secondary and primary triangulation, the spherical excess is applied to determine the error due directly to the observations. One-third of the computed excess is deducted from each angle of the triangle, and the difference between the resulting sum of the angles and 180° is the error to be distributed.

Let a , b = triangle sides.

C = the included angle.

A = equatorial radius..... $6377397^m.16$, log = 6.8046435

B = polar radius..... $6356078^m.96$, log = 6.8031893

e = the eccentricity = $\sqrt{1 - \frac{B^2}{A^2}}$

$e^2 = 0.006674372$ log = 7.8244104

L = mean latitude of the three stations.

$\epsilon = \frac{ab \sin C (1 + e^2 \cos 2L)}{2A^2 \sin 1''}$, and making $m = \frac{1 + e^2 \cos 2L}{2A^2 \sin 1''}$,

we have $\epsilon = ab \sin C m$.

The latitude being the only variable quantity in the formula m , we make the latter a constant by computing it for every $30'$ of latitude likely to be embraced in the survey, and tabulate the results. The value of m for intermediate latitudes may be taken out by inspection, though such precision is only necessary in the very largest triangles.

Computation of m .

$$L=24^\circ, 2L=48^\circ, \cos=9.8255109$$

$$e^2, \log=7.8244104$$

$$\log e^2 \cos 2L=7.6499213$$

$$e^2 \cos 2L=0.0044603$$

$$1+e^2 \cos 2L=1.0044603$$

$$\log 1+e^2 \cos 2L=0.0019351$$

$$\log 2 A^2 \sin 1''=8.5958918$$

$$m \text{ for lat. } 24^\circ=1.4060433$$

$$\sin 1'' \dots \dots \dots 4.6855749$$

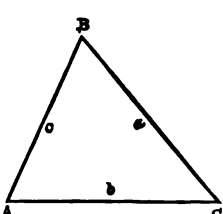
$$\log A^2 \dots \dots \dots 3.6092869$$

$$\log 2 \dots \dots \dots 0.3010300$$

$$\log 2 A^2 \sin 1'' \dots \dots \dots 8.5958918$$

Latitude.	log m .	Latitude.	log m .	Latitude.	log m .	Latitude.	log m .
24° 00'	1.40604	31° 30'	1.40542	39° 00'	1.40471	46° 30'	1.40396
30	600	32 00	538	30	466	47 00	391
25 00	597	30	533	40 00	461	30	386
30	593	33 00	529	30	456	48 00	381
26 00	589	30	524	41 00	451	30	376
30	585	34 00	519	30	446	49 00	371
27 00	581	30	515	42 00	441	30	366
30	577	35 00	510	30	436	50 00	361
28 00	573	30	505	43 00	431	30	356
30	569	36 00	500	30	426	51 00	351
29 00	564	30	496	44 00	421	30	346
30	560	37 00	491	30	416	52 00	341
30 00	556	30	486	45 00	411	30	336
30	551	38 00	481	30	406	53 00	331
31 00	1.40547	30	1.40476	46 00	1.40401	30	1.40326

Example.

Denomination.	Observed angles.	Correction.	Spherical angles.	Spherical excess.	Plane angles and distances.	Logarithms.
	Preliminary comp. 3ry Δ 75° 20' 40'' 43° 23' 30'' 61° 15' 50''	.....	.....	a	6500 ^m .	3.81291
		.....	.....	0	.....	0.01437
		.....	.....	0	.....	9.83695
		.....	.....	0	.....	9.94292
		$b=A \text{ to } C$ $c=A \text{ to } B$		.....	4615 ^m .6 5891 ^m .2	3.66423 3.77020
A B C	Preliminary comp. 1ry Δ 80° 22' 10'' 49° 27' 30'' 50° 10' 20''	.....	.....	a	122755 ^m .	5.08904
		.....	.....	7''.539	.....	0.00614
		.....	.....	7''.539	.....	9.86078
		.....	.....	7''.539	.....	9.88535
		$b=A \text{ to } C$ $c=A \text{ to } B$		.....	94615 ^m . 95616 ^m .	4.97596 4.98053

Computation of spherical excess.

$$a=6500^m, \log \dots \dots \dots 3.81291$$

$$b=4615^m.6, \log \dots \dots \dots 3.66423$$

$$C=61^\circ 15' 50'', \log \sin \dots \dots \dots 9.94292$$

$$m \text{ for } 36^\circ L, \log \dots \dots \dots 1.40500$$

$$e=0''.067 \dots \dots \dots 8.82506$$

$$a=122755^m, \log \dots \dots \dots 5.08904$$

$$b=94616^m, \log \dots \dots \dots 4.97596$$

$$C=50^\circ 10' 20'', \log \sin \dots \dots \dots 9.88535$$

$$m \text{ for } 45^\circ 15' L, \log \dots \dots \dots 1.40408$$

$$e=22''.617 \dots \dots \dots 1.35443$$

DISTRIBUTION OF ERROR.

In the primary series the errors are adjusted by the application of the method of least squares, as explained and exemplified in appendices Nos. 33 and 14, Annual Reports for 1854 and 1864; or distributed in proportion to the probable error of each angle as determined directly from the measures of the angles.

In the secondary triangulation the error is distributed as above, or in inverse proportion to the number of measures taken of each angle, or, in less important cases, equally among the three angles.

In triangles of the third order the error, as a rule, is equally distributed among the three angles.

Example.

Denomination.	Sets of repetitions.	Observed angles.	Correction.	Spherical angles.	Spherical excess.	Plane angles and distances.	Logarithms.
		<i>a</i>				27370 ^m .5	4.4372827
		° ' "		"		° ' "	
A	10	48 34 16.5	+ 1.4	17.9	— 0.6	48 34 17.3	0.1250650
B	7	86 12 10.6	+ 2.0	12.6	— 0.6	86 12 12.0	9.9990458
C	12	45 13 30.2	+ 1.1	31.3	— 0.6	45 13 30.7	9.8511853
		57.3					
		Sp. excess	1.8	A to C		36424 ^m .49	4.5613935
				A to B		25913 ^m .91	4.4135330
		55.5					
		Error	4.5				

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The formulæ, tables, and examples for the computation of the geodetic latitudes, longitudes, and azimuths, are given and fully explained in appendix No. 36, Annual Report for 1860.

For the sake of easy reference during the rapid and numerous computations of this character required from the assistant in the field, the signs, and their application, of the corrections depending on the relation of the given azimuth to the different quadrants, and on the algebraic signs of dL and dZ , are tabulated as follows:

Corrections to given Latitude.	
Z = 0 to 90 Z = 270 to 360 dL subtractive from L.	Z = 90 to 180 Z = 180 to 270 dL additive to L.
"	"
+ 1853.590	— 448.308
+ 22.760	+ .051
+ 0.084	+ .005
— 0.268	— .000
— dL = + 1856.166	— dL = — 448.252

Corrections to given Longitude.
Z = 0 to 90 Z = 90 to 180 dM additive to M.
Z = 180 to 270 Z = 270 to 360 dM subtractive from M.

Corrections to given Azimuth.
Z = 0 to 90 Z = 90 to 180 dZ subtractive from Z.
Z = 180 to 270 Z = 270 to 360 dZ additive to Z.

TRIGONOMETRICAL LEVELLING.

When vertical observations are taken the height of the telescope above the ground at each of the stations occupied, and of all the signals or objects observed upon, should be carefully measured and duly entered in the record.

Reciprocal zenith distances measured at any two stations at the same moment of time, or under the same supposed condition of the atmosphere, give the best results. When reciprocal, but not simultaneous, the observations should be made on different days, as in the case of horizontal angles, in order to obtain, as far as possible, a mean value of the difference between the respective angles, and an average value of the refraction. The same care should be taken when the zenith distance is measured at one station only.

Experience has proved that the refraction is greater and more variable at sunrise than at any other hour of the day; that it gradually diminishes, in both respects, until 9 or 10 a. m.; that

between those hours and 4 p. m. it is comparatively stationary, and from 4 p. m. to sunset it increases in amount and variation, being the greatest during the night. The best period for observing, therefore, is between 9 a. m. and 4 p. m., and the worst at sunrise and sunset.

The condition of the atmosphere and the relative refraction may be so different at stations situated more than twenty miles apart, that, as a general rule, the difference of level determined even by reciprocal observations cannot be relied upon for the desired degree of accuracy at distances greater than about twenty miles, unless a very large number of measurements have been made under the most favorable circumstances. The higher the elevations the more reliable the results.

When a station is occupied for vertical observations the zenith distance of every signal in sight should be measured, so as to have more than one check for each altitude. A number of such measures and differences of level should be so combined, by the method of least squares, as to give the most probable values for the respective altitudes, as well as for the coefficient of refraction for the period of observation.

I.—By reciprocal zenith distances, simultaneous or not.

Let Z, Z' = the measured zenith distances of the telescopes at the two stations.

K = distance, in metres, between the two stations.

R = radius of curvature of the arc joining the two stations.

C = angle at the earth's centre, subtended by the arc.

h, h' = heights of the two stations above mean tide.

$$C = \frac{K}{R \sin 1''} \quad h - h' = \frac{K \sin \frac{1}{2}(Z' - Z)}{\cos \frac{1}{2}(Z' - Z + C)}$$

If the telescope is not observed upon, but some other object, such as the heliotrope or top of crotch, the measured zenith distance must be reduced to the telescope by the formula reduction $\pm \frac{r}{K \sin 1''}$ in which r represents the height of the object, above or below the telescope.

The value of R , or of $\frac{1}{R \sin 1''}$ (which depends on the mean latitude of the two stations and the angle made by the arc with the meridian,) may be computed for different latitudes, and for angles varying from 0° to 90° , as in the following table:

Angle.	Latitude 25° .		Latitude 30° .		Latitude 35° .	
	log R	co. l. $R \sin 1''$	log R	co. l. $R \sin 1''$	log R	co. l. $R \sin 1''$
0	6.802512	8.511913	6.802823	8.511602	6.803167	8.511258
10	2584	11841	2888	11537	3226	11199
20	2791	11634	3078	11347	3395	11030
30	3109	11316	3368	11057	3655	10770
40	3498	10927	3724	10701	3973	10452
50	3913	10512	4103	10322	4312	10113
60	4304	10121	4450	09966	4632	09793
70	4622	09803	4750	09675	4892	09533
80	4830	09505	4940	09485	5062	09363
90	6.804902	8.509523	6.805006	8.509419	6.805121	8.509304
Angle.	Latitude 40° .		Latitude 45° .		Latitude 50° .	
	log R	co. l. $R \sin 1''$	log R	co. l. $R \sin 1''$	log R	co. l. $R \sin 1''$
0	6.803534	8.510891	6.803913	8.510512	6.804292	8.510133
10	3586	10839	3957	10468	4328	10097
20	3734	10691	4083	10342	4432	09993
30	3961	10464	4276	10149	4592	09833
40	4239	10186	4514	09911	4789	09649
50	4536	09899	4767	09658	4998	09426
60	4815	09610	5005	09420	5194	09231
70	5043	09382	5197	09228	5355	09070
80	5191	09234	5325	09100	5459	08966
90	6.805243	8.509182	5369	8.509056	5496	8.508929

Example.

$K = 23931^m.6$ distance between two stations, Santa Cruz and Mt. Bache, California.
 $Z = 87^\circ 34' 34''.6$.. observed at Santa Cruz station, upon top of pole at Mt. Bache.
 $Z' = 92^\circ 34' 57''.4$.. observed at Mt. Bache, upon top of pole at Santa Cruz station.
 $L = 37^\circ 02'$ mean latitude of the two stations.
 angle = $51^\circ 55'$ angle made by line with the meridian.

Reduction to level of telescopes.

Mt. Bache—top of pole above ground..	$\overset{m}{4.72}$	Santa Cruz—top of pole above ground	$\overset{m}{5.77}$
Mt. Bache—telescope above ground...	1.65	Santa Cruz—telescope above ground.	1.50
	$r = + 3.07$		$r = + 4.27$
$r = 3.07$	0.48713	$r = 4.27$	0.63043
co. log K	5.62103	co. log K	5.62103
co. sin $1''$	5.31443	co. sin $1''$	5.31443
	1.42259		1.56589
reduction to telescope....	+ 26''.46	reduction to telescope....	+ 36''.80
observed Z	87 34 34.60	observed Z'	92 34 57.40
Z	87 35 01.06	Z'	92 35 34.20

Computation of h—h'.

log K	4.3790	$Z' - Z$	5 00 33.14	log K	4.3790
co. log R sin $1''$..	8.5101	$\frac{1}{2} (Z' - Z)$	2 30 16.57	sin $\frac{1}{2} (Z' - Z)$	8.6405
		$Z' - Z + C$	5 13 28.06	co. log cos $\frac{1}{2} (Z' - Z + C)$	0.0004
log C	2.8891	$\frac{1}{2} (Z' - Z + C)$..	2 36 44.03		3.0199
C	774.56				
Difference in height of telescopes					$\overset{m}{1046.90}$
Telescope at Mt. Bache higher than that at Santa Cruz					—0.15
Difference in height of ground					1046.75
Santa Cruz station above mean tide—by spirit level					108.87
Mt. Bache above mean tide					1155.62

II.—By the zenith distance measured at one station.

Let Z = the measured zenith distance of the signal or object.

K = the distance between the two stations, in metres.

m = the coefficient of refraction.

$$C = \frac{K}{R \sin 1''}$$

dh = difference in height between the two stations.

$$dh = \frac{K \cos (Z + mC - \frac{1}{2}C)}{\sin (Z + mC - C)}$$

Example.

$Z = 87^\circ 07' 18''.8$ observed at Farmington upon crotch at Mt. Blue.
 $K = 15519^m$ distance between Farmington and Mt. Blue.
 $m = 0.071$ coefficient of refraction.
 $L = 44^\circ 42'$ mean latitude of the two stations.
 angle = $65^\circ 44'$ angle made by line with meridian.
 Telescope above ground = $2^m.2$ Crotch above ground = $4^m.4$

log K.....	4.1907	C	501".2	Z+mC	87 07 54.4	log K.....	4.19086
table.....	8.5093	m	0".071	Z+mC— $\frac{1}{2}$ C.	87 03 43.8	cos	8.70971
		mC	35".6	Z+mC—C...	86 59 33.2	co. sin....	0.00060
log C.....	2.7000						<u>2.90117</u>
d h—between telescope and crotch.....							<u>796.47</u>
Telescope above ground.....							+2.20
Crotch above ground.....							—4.40
d h—between ground at Farmington and Mt. Blue.....							<u>794.27</u>
Ground at Farmington above mean tide.....							181.20
Ground at Mt. Blue above mean tide.....							<u>975.47</u>

III.—By the observed zenith distance of the sea horizon.

Z = the measured zenith distance.

R = radius of curvature of arc.

m = coefficient of refraction = 0.078.

$$h = \frac{R}{2(1-m)^2} \tan^2 (Z-90^\circ)$$

Example.

Z = 90° 24' 19".1	Telescope above ground.....	^m 1.67
L = 41° 15'	State of tide—below half-tide.....	0.30
angle = 15°		
R = 6.8038 from table.		
(1-m) = (1-0.078) = 0.922, log ²	9.92946	
	log 2	0.30103
	<u>0.23049</u>	
2(1-m) ²		<u>0.2305</u>
	log R.....	6.8038
		<u>6.5733</u>
$\frac{R}{2(1-m)^2}$		
(Z-90°) = 24' 19", tan ²		5.6994
		<u>2.2727</u>
d h—between telescope and sea horizon.....		<u>187.37</u>
Telescope above ground.....		—1.67
Reduction for state of tide.....		—0.30
Height of station above mean tide.....		<u>185.40</u>

IV.—By observed angles of elevation or depression.

A = the observed angle, expressed in seconds.

K = the distance, in metres, between the two stations.

constant = 0.00000485 = log 4.68574

constant = 0.000000667 = log 2.82413.

$$d h = 0.00000485 K A \pm 0.000000667 K^2$$

This formula gives the difference in height between stations not more than ten or fifteen miles apart, with a probable error less than the uncertainty in the coefficient of refraction.

Example.

$A = 2^\circ 52' 41''.2 = 10361''.2 =$ angle of elevation.

$K = 15519^m =$ distance between the two stations.

log A.....	4.01541			log K ²	8.38172
log K.....	4.19086			constant.....	2.82413
constant.....	4.68574				
	<u>2.89201</u>	....	<u>779.85</u>		<u>1.20585</u> <u>16.06</u> ^m
			<u>16.06</u>		
			<u><u>dh = 795.91</u></u>		

THE COEFFICIENT OF REFRACTION.

The coefficient of refraction, or proportion of the intercepted arc, is determined from the observed zenith distances of two stations, the relative altitudes of which have been determined by the spirit-level; or, from reciprocal zenith distances, simultaneous or not, under the assumption that the mean of a number of observations taken under favorable conditions will eliminate the difference of refraction which is found to exist, even at the same moment, at two stations a few miles apart. Such a co-efficient may be established for the level of the sea, or for high elevations, or for lines over water or over land. As, however, the difference of height, deduced from trigonometrical levelling, depends upon the coefficient multiplied by the square of the distance, it is evident that the longer the line, the greater would be the error caused by any uncertainty in the coefficient or actual refraction, and that, consequently, there is a limit to the distance for which any assumed mean value of the refraction can be depended on for accurate results.

The average value of the coefficient from the Coast Survey observations in the New England States, is,

between primary stations.....	0.071
of small elevations.....	0.075
of the sea horizon.....	0.078

To determine the coefficient of refraction from reciprocal zenith distances.

C = angle at earth's centre subtended by arc.

F = angle of refraction.

m = coefficient of refraction.

$$C = \frac{K}{R \sin 1''} \quad F = \frac{C}{2} - \frac{1}{2} (Z' + Z - 180^\circ) \quad m = \frac{F}{C}$$

Example.

Adopting the observations and corrections in the example to I, and leaving out, as in that case, the very small corrections depending on the height of the stations above the mean surface of the sphere, we have,

$Z + Z' - 180^\circ$	10 35.26	log F, 69.7.....	1.8432328
$\frac{1}{2} (Z + Z' - 180^\circ)$	5 17.63	log C, 774.66.....	2.8891111
$\frac{C}{2}$	6 27.33	$m = 0.089975$	<u>8.9541217</u>
F.....	1 09.70		

To determine the coefficient from the zenith distance observed at one station, when the altitudes of the two stations above half-tide, or their difference in height, have been determined by the levelling instrument.

Compute the true zenith distances, Z'_0 and Z_0 , of the two given points, and the difference between the true and the observed zenith distance will be the angle of refraction, F ; and $m = \frac{F}{C}$

$$\frac{1}{2} (Z'_0 + Z_0) = 90^\circ + \frac{C}{2}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (Z'_0 - Z_0) = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{h' - h}{K} \left\{ 1 - \frac{h' + h}{2R} - \frac{K^2}{12R^2} \right\} \right)$$

Example.

Adopting the data afforded by the example to II, we have,

$h' + h = 975^m.47$, supposed to be determined by levelling instrument.

$h' - h = 794^m.27$, supposed to be determined by levelling instrument.

Z = observed Z . D. + correction for height of crotch above telescope.

$Z = 87^\circ 07' 18''.8 + 29''.2 = 87^\circ 07' 48''$

$K = 15519^m = \log 4.1908637$

$C = 501''.2 = 8' 21''.2$; and $\frac{C}{2} = 4' 10''.6$

$R^2 = 3.6102$
 $12 = 1.0792$

$K^2 = 8.3817$
 4.6894

4.6894

$3.6923 = -0.00000049$

$R = 6.8051$
 $2 = 0.3010$

$h' + h = 2.9892$
 $2 R = 7.1061$

7.1061

$5.8831 = -0.00007641$

-0.00007690

0.99992310

$\log 9.9999666$

$h' - h = 2.8999682$
 $K = 4.1908637$

$\frac{h' - h}{K} = 8.7091045$

$\left(1 - \frac{h' + h}{2R} - \frac{K^2}{12R^2}\right) = 9.9999666$

$\tan = 8.7090711$
 $2^\circ 55' 46''.7$

$\frac{1}{2} (Z'_o + Z_o) = 90 + 4' 10.6 = 90^\circ 04' 10.6$
 $\frac{1}{2} (Z'_o - Z_o) = 2' 55' 46.7$

true $Z'_o = 92^\circ 59' 57.3$

true $Z_o = 87^\circ 08' 23.9$

observed $Z = 87^\circ 07' 48.0$

$F = 35.9 \dots \dots \log = 1.5550944$
 $C = 501.2 \dots \dots \log = 2.7000111$

$m = \frac{F}{C} = 0.0716 \dots \dots \log = 8.8550833$

THE THREE-POINT PROBLEM.

If three points, forming a triangle of which the sides and angles are known, or can be computed, be visible from a fourth point P, it is required to determine the position of P.

Set up the theodolite at P, and measure the two angles subtended by any two of the given sides.

This problem is of use in cases where the regular triangulation having been completed, additional points are required for the topographical survey, or are needed for special service. The angles should be carefully measured, and, in the computations, the logarithms should be carried to seven places of decimals.

Three cases of its application are given, as in others, such as when P falls upon one or the other of the sides of the known triangle, or on the prolongation of either, the case resolves itself into the solution of a simple triangle with one side and the angles given; or the problem is indeterminate, as when P is situated on the circumference of the circle passing through the three known points—a contingency which rarely occurs.

Example for each of the three cases.

Given the side $a = 11204.5$

Given the side $b = 7289.0$

Given the side $c = 6273.8$

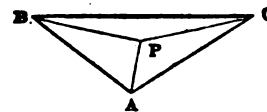
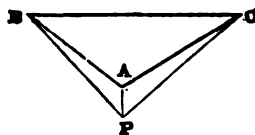
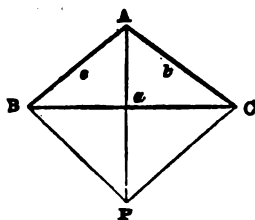
Given the angle $A = 111^\circ 10' 54''$

Angle observed $APC = P'$

Angle observed $APB = P''$

To find $ABP = x$

To find $ACP = y$



P'.... $50^{\circ} 06' 12''$
 P''.... $43^{\circ} 50' 38''$
 S..... $180^{\circ} - \frac{1}{2} (A + P' + P'')$
 S..... $77^{\circ} 26' 08''$

P'.. $49^{\circ} 47' 20''$
 P''..... $44^{\circ} 09' 30''$
 S..... $\frac{1}{2} (A - P' - P'')$
 S..... $8^{\circ} 37' 02''$

P'.... $104^{\circ} 00' 00''$
 P''.... $100^{\circ} 20' 00''$
 S..... $180^{\circ} - \frac{1}{2} (A + P' + P'')$
 S..... $22^{\circ} 14' 33''$

$$\tan Z = \frac{c \sin P'}{b \sin P''}$$

$$\epsilon = \frac{1}{2} (x - y)$$

$$\tan \epsilon = \cot (Z + 45^{\circ}) \tan S$$

$$x = S + \epsilon,$$

$$y = S - \epsilon, \text{ but if } \tan \epsilon \text{ be negative, then } x = S - \epsilon,$$

$$y = S + \epsilon$$

Computation.

log c..... 3.7975307
 sin P'..... 9.8849100
 co. log b..... 6.1373320
 co. sin P''..... 0.1594574

tan Z..... 9.9792301

Z..... $43^{\circ} 37' 49''.6$

cot (Z+45°)..... 8.3785397

tan S..... 0.6519386

tan ϵ 9.0304783

ϵ $6^{\circ} 07' 21''.7$

S..... $77^{\circ} 26' 08''.0$

x..... $83^{\circ} 33' 29''.7$

y..... $71^{\circ} 18' 46''.3$

Hence,

P A B..... $52^{\circ} 35' 52''.3$

P A C..... $58^{\circ} 35' 01''.7$

log c..... 3.7975397
 sin P'..... 9.8829061
 co. log b..... 6.1373320
 co. sin P''..... 0.1569894

tan Z..... 9.9747583

Z..... $43^{\circ} 20' 09''.2$

cot (Z+45°)..... 8.4631818

tan S..... 9.1805366

tan ϵ 7.6437184

ϵ $0^{\circ} 15' 08''.1$

S..... $8^{\circ} 37' 02''.0$

x..... $8^{\circ} 52' 10''.1$

y..... $8^{\circ} 21' 53''.9$

Hence,

P A B..... $126^{\circ} 58' 19''.9$

P A C..... $121^{\circ} 50' 46''.1$

log c..... 3.7975307
 sin P'..... 9.9869041
 co. log b..... 6.1373320
 co. sin P''..... 0.0071016

tan Z..... 9.9288684

Z..... $40^{\circ} 19' 43''.3$

cot (Z+45°)..... 8.9122794

tan S..... 9.6116787

tan ϵ 8.5239581

ϵ $1^{\circ} 54' 50''.04$

S..... $22^{\circ} 14' 33''.00$

x..... $24^{\circ} 09' 23''.00$

y..... $20^{\circ} 19' 43''.00$

Hence,

P A B..... $55^{\circ} 30' 37''.00$

P A C..... $55^{\circ} 40' 17''.00$

As all the angles and a side in each triangle are now known, the other sides, or the distances from P to the three given points, can be readily computed.

P B..... 7194.87^m
 P A..... 8999.89
 P C..... 8107.98
 P A..... 8999.89

P B..... 7194.94^m
 P A..... 1388.54
 P C..... 8107.91
 P A..... 1388.54

P B..... 5256.29
 P A..... 2609.75
 P C..... 6203.63
 P A..... 2609.75

The results are verified when both triangles give the same value for the line P A.

For the problem and an example by Schott, of determining a position by angles observed upon a number of given stations, see page 116, 1864.

RECTANGULAR CO-ORDINATES ON A PLANE PROJECTION.

The method of plotting the position of trigonometrical points by rectangular co-ordinates is occasionally adopted in the field, and consists in referring the points of the triangulation to two straight lines, intersecting each other at right angles, called the co-ordinate axes. If O be the point of intersection, or origin of the axes, then y will be the axis of ordinates, x the axis of abscissa, and Aa, Oa, or y, x, the rectangular co-ordinates of a given point A.

Should the true meridian be known, let that be the axis of ordinates, and the point of intersection a trigonometrical point; if not known, adopt, as the axis of abscissa, a side of one of the triangles, which, if extended in one or both directions, would pass through the centre of the triangulation, or as near thereto as possible. The triangulation point at one or the other end of this line, as may be preferred, will be, therefore, the origin of ordinates. Whatever may be the direction of the line, assume it, for the present purpose, to be a meridian, and count the azimuths from south to west, as in the L, M, Z computations.

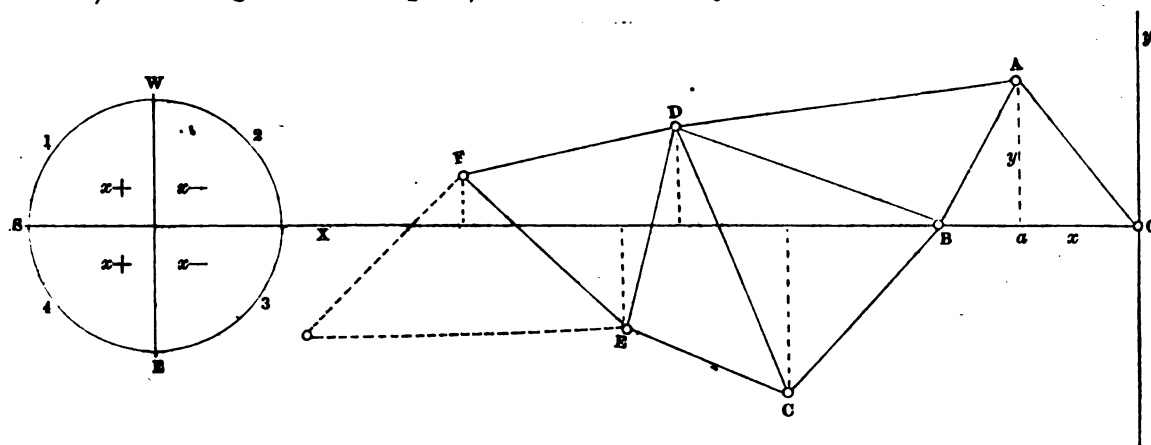
The values of the rectangular co-ordinates, y and x , are obtained by multiplying the triangle side by the sine and cosine of its azimuth.

The abscissa, x , will be additive when the azimuth is in the first and fourth quadrants, and subtractive when in the second and third.

The computed ordinate y will be subtractive from or additive to the last ordinate, according as the azimuth converges to, or diverges from, the axis of abscissa.

If the ordinates on one side of the axis of abscissa be regarded as positive, those on the other side will be negative.

Should the line adopted pass through the chain of triangles, as in the following example, having trigonometrical points on both sides, compute the rectangular co-ordinates for the points on one side, and then for those on the other, and the computation will be verified when the sum of the abscissa, on reaching the terminal point, shall be the same by both series.



	Denomination.	Plane angles and distances.	Logarithms.		Denomination.	Plane angles and distances.	Logarithms.
A O B	O to B	5073m.68	3.7053334	E D C	D to C		3.8889246
	Three Sisters	65° 27' 55".3	0.0410868		Persimmon Point	99° 38' 52".1	0.0061888
	North End	51° 30' 37".9	9.8936078		South Base	36° 00' 15".2	9.7692627
	Ragged Island	63° 01' 26".8	9.949740		Coffee's Point	44° 20' 45".7	9.8444710
	A to B	4365m.44	3.6400280		E to C	4617m.17	3.6643761
	A to O	4970m.43	3.6963942		E to D	5400m.15	3.7395844
D A B	A to B		3.6400280	F D E	D to E		3.7395844
	South Base	26° 29' 34".9	0.3214373		North Base	53° 57' 19".6	0.0822879
	Three Sisters	53° 19' 39".9	9.9042095		South Base	64° 48' 09".9	9.9565754
	Ragged Island	96° 10' 45".9	9.9955595		Persimmon Point	61° 14' 30".5	9.0428302
	D to B	7339m.64	9.8656747		F to E	6143m.05	3.7884477
	D to A	7194m.90	3.9570247		F to D	5252m.54	3.7747025
C D B	D to B		3.8656747				
	Coffee's Point	63° 21' 23".7	0.0526387				
	South Base	48° 29' 05".4	9.8743544				
	Ragged Island	69° 09' 30".9	9.9706112				
	C to B	6203m.94	3.7926678				
	C to D	7743m.27	3.8889246				

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<p style="text-align: center;">° ' "</p> <p>Z A to O 231 30 37.9 ∠ O & B 65 27 55.3 ∠ B & D 53 19 39.9</p> <p>Z A to D 350 18 13.1</p> <p style="text-align: right;">sin 9.2264111 D 3.9570247 cos 9.9937510</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: right;">3.1834358 3.9507757</p> <p style="text-align: center;">y x +3890.47 3093.45 -1525.58 8928.44 +2364.89 12021.89 D</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">° ' "</p> <p>Z C to B 129 38 16.4+ ∠ B & D 62 21 23.7— ∠ D & E 44 20 45.7—</p> <p>Z C to E 22 56 07.0</p> <p style="text-align: right;">sin 9.5907205 D 3.6643761 cos 9.9642340</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: right;">3.2550966 3.6286101</p> <p style="text-align: center;">y x -4777.60 9031.33 -1799.27 4252.16 -2978.33 13283.49 E</p>
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MEASUREMENT OF SUBSIDIARY BASE-LINES.

The annual report for 1854 contains a full description of the compensating base apparatus employed in the measurement of the primary bases on the Atlantic Coast, and the report for 1857 a general description of the sliding-contact apparatus for subsidiary or intermediate bases. These intermediate lines are required either as checks upon the series of small triangles extending along the low coasts south of the Delaware, or for the determination of the distance and direction between two places which cannot be connected by triangulation except at very great expense and probable risk of accuracy. In the latter case, a succession of lines and their deviation in direction are measured, and, if the operation is carefully conducted, and the lines on the beach not less than two miles in length, the results, when compared with distances from the primary bases, will not fail to be satisfactory.

To explain fully the different successive operations connected with the measurement of a subsidiary line, it may be, perhaps, the best plan to present an abstract of the report of the measurements made by the compiler on the Virginia Coast, south of Cape Henry, in 1867.

Base apparatus.—The assistant is referred to the description of the apparatus and the mode of using it as given in the annual report for 1857, with the remark that the defects in the original, as first employed in the third measurement of the English base on Hounslow Heath, in 1784, have been successfully remedied. In addition to those important improvements, the rods employed in 1867 were six metres in length instead of four; the level of the sector was made more delicate, and on each of the forward trestles a roller was placed to facilitate the movement of the bar, forward and back, during its final adjustment.

Length of rods.—A comparison of the two rods with the standard six-metre bar should be made at the office in Washington, both before and after they are used in the field, and, if no accident has occurred to either during the interval, the mean of the two comparisons should be adopted as their respective values.

In deducing the length of rod from comparisons with the standard six-metre bar No. 2, the following data may be employed:

Length of standard bar No. 2 at 32° F.....	5 ^m .99998233
One division of the scale of comparator, $\frac{1}{14830}$ of an inch.....	0 ^m .00000174
Co-efficient of expansion for F. scale.....	0 ^m .00000641
Thermometer attached to standard—too high.....	—0°.7
Thermometers attached to rods \pm , (in this case correct.)	

Comparisons made at the Coast Survey Office, August 10, 1867.

Standard No. 2.		Rod No. 1.		Standard No. 2.		Rod No. 2.	
Therm.	Divisions.	Therm.	Divisions.	Therm.	Divisions.	Therm.	Divisions.
°		°		°		°	
77.3	+ 21	76.0	— 10	75.3	+ 1	74.0	+ 7
78.0	+ 15	76.4	+ 41	76.0	+ 8	74.5	— 3
78.5	+ 18	77.0	+ 55	77.0	+ 13	75.0	+ 3
77.93	+ 18	76.47	+ 28.67	76.1	+ 7.33	75.0	+ 3
— 0.70		77.23	+ 18.00	— 0.7		74.41	+ 4.00
77.23		+ .76	+ 10.67	75.4		75.40	+ 7.33
						+ 0.99	— 3.33

Computation—length of rod No. 1.

$+0^{\circ}76 \times 0.00000641 \times 6^m$	$+0.00002923$
$+10^d.67 \times 0.00000174$	$+0.00001857$
at 77°.23, No. 1, longer than st'd..	$+0.00004780$
at 77°.23, standard No. 2.....	6.00172188
at 77°.23, rod No. 1.....	6.00176968
at 75°.00, rod No. 1.....	6.00168391

Computation—length of rod No. 2.

$+0^{\circ}.99 \times 0.00000641 \times 6^m$	$+0.00003808$
$-3^d.33 \times 0.00000174$	-0.00000579
at 75°.4, No. 2, longer than st'd..	$+0.00003229$
at 75°.4, standard No. 2.....	6.00165149
at 75°.4, rod No. 2.....	6.00168378
at 75°.0, rod No. 2.....	6.00166840

Similar comparisons were made in the month of November following, after the return of the apparatus from the field.

	Rod No. 1.	Rod No. 2.
August 10, 1867, length at 75° F.....	6 ^m .00168391	6 ^m .00166840
November 21, 1867, length at 75° F.....	6 ^m .00168692	6 ^m .00154393
Mean adopted for the measurement.....	6 ^m .00168541	6 ^m .00160616

Instruments, &c., and organization of party.—There will be required one 12-inch theodolite, two small transits, a levelling instrument, telescope, 20-metre chain, metre-scale and extension dividers, a coil of iron wire, one-eighth of an inch in diameter and 70 metres in length, and a spring balance.

One assistant, to make the contact, give the signals, &c.

One aid, to align the bars, using a transit.

One aid, to record the inclination, temperature, and number of the bar, and, when the measurement halts or stops for the day, to transfer the end of rod to copper tack in stub, employing, for this purpose, the other transit.

Two men, to carry the bar.

Two men, to pick up the trestles, carry them forward, adjust them in line, and level them.

One man, to attend the aid in charge of alignment, bring up instrument, &c.

One man, to keep up the transfer transit, and to be provided with stub, axe, and copper tack for an emergency, and to assist generally.

Cart, horse, and driver, for the transportation of heavy wooden box, in which the bars are kept when not in use; of water, stubs, spades, and tools, and of tent, in case of sudden storm.

The record book.—The record book is ruled and kept as in the following specimen pages, except that the remarks are applicable to the day's work, not to the particular number of bars. The left-hand page contains 20 bars or 120 metres, and, as the stubs of the preliminary measurement are driven at every 120 metres, the last number on each page should be an even number, and should coincide with a stub, in order that an error, in counting or numbering the bars, cannot be carried beyond the page. The thermometers, one for each rod, are read, and the temperature recorded for every ten bars, and oftener, if any unusual delay occurs, and always when the measurement stops, from any cause, whatever may be the number of the last bar. The inclinations are recorded for each rod, and the columns for the mean temperature and corrections for inclination are filled up, as the opportunity may offer.

Measurement of the coast. September 22, 1867. VIRGINIA—SECTION IV.						Station B to station C. Clear. Wind, L, westerly.		
Time.	Whole number.	No. of Bar.	Temp.	Inclination.		Mean temperatures.	Correction for inclination.	Remarks.
				+	—			
h m 11 25	161	1	77.5	42		76.875 × 10 798.75	.00044790	Stopped for aligning transit to advance.
	162	2	77.5		17		007388	
	163	1			20		010157	
	164	2		7			001244	
	165	1		1.23			174921	
	166	2		21			011198	
	167	1			48		038502	
	168	2			3		000228	
	169	1	76.5		5		000635	
	11 41	170	2	76.0			19		009166	Stopped. Stub, copper tack, and cross-lines.
12 43	171	1	74.5	13		004291		
	172	2	74.5	9		002056		
	173	1			20	010157		
	174	2		19		009166		
	175	1		56		74.25 × 10 742.50 079627		
	176	2			37	034761		
	177	1			19	009166		
	178	2			57	002497		
	179	1	74.0	26		017165		
12 56	180	2	74.0		14	004977	Stopped for the day. Stub, copper tack, and cross-lines.	
						.00572042		

Preparation of the line.—The locality of the proposed base having been selected, either on the beach, adjoining sand plain, or hard land in the interior, the line is traced, and its direction adjusted to the least uneven ground and to avoid the tide, dunes, or hillocks, and then cleared of all minor obstructions.

Monuments.—After the line has been finally laid out, the monuments are erected. These may be merely the underground permanent marks, brought up level with the surface of the ground, and the terminus of the line marked thereon, the cap or upper block, being reserved until the horizontal angles have been observed. The operation of ending the measurement at a given point is less liable to error, and more economical of labor than the process of putting in a temporary mark, and then superseding it by a final one at some time after the measurement has been completed.

Alignment.—The base is aligned by setting up straight poles, prepared for the purpose, at about every half mile. This may be done by adjusting the transit over the mark at one end, fixing the cross-hairs on the signal at the other terminus, and by a system of signals to the aid, who is provided with a telescope, putting the poles in line, working in the direction of the instrument.

During the measurement an aid, with his transit, is stationed in the rear, never more than about one-fourth of a mile from the apparatus, and directs the alignment of the bars by movements of his arm. A small wand, about the size of a lead-pencil, and painted black, is firmly fixed, in a vertical position, at the forward end of each bar, directly over the rod, and when the bar has been approximately brought into position by the men who have it in charge, a signal is made, and the aid perfects the alignment.

Adjustment of the apparatus.—Before commencing the measurement, each bar is appropriately arranged upon trestles, and the knife-edge at one end and the centre of the plane at the other are brought to the same level, by means of a levelling instrument placed about 20 metres from each end. The rod being level, the level and zero of the sector are adjusted to this condition of the rod. The same operation is gone through with after the measurement is completed, to ascertain if the relation between the sector and the rod has changed, or, in other words, if the readings of the sector have truly expressed the inclination of the rod; and, if not, the error. Half of this index-error is the correction to be applied to the recorded inclinations, though, if it is small, as in the following case, and the angles of elevation and depression are about equal in number and value, the error is not appreciable:

	Rod 1, index-error.	Rod 2, index-error.
Before measuring—station A, adjustment.....	0'.0	0'.0
After measurement—station B, compared.....	+1'.0	0'.0

Hence, for every + inclination recorded for rod No. 1, a correction of 0'.5 should be subtracted, and the same added to each — inclination. The sector of rod No. 2 had remained unchanged.

Preliminary measurement.—The preliminary measurement is made with an iron wire, about one-eighth of an inch in diameter, and 60 metres in length. This distance (10 bars) is measured off with the base apparatus, starting from the initial point, should the ground be favorable, and extending in the direction of the base-line. The terminus is marked by cross-lines drawn on the head of a copper tack driven in a stub sunk level with the surface of the ground. The inclinations and temperatures are recorded, in order that the exact distance may be computed. The wire, which has been previously uncoiled, straightened, and otherwise prepared, and also provided with a loop at each extremity, is then stretched between the two marks by a chain staff at the after end, and a weight of forty pounds applied to the other by means of a spring balance. In this condition, and after repeated trials, the measured distance is transferred to and marked on the wire by a fine line cut near each loop.

The wire is then drawn forward, stretched in line, the uniform weight of forty pounds applied, and at a given signal from the aid in charge of the after end, indicating the adjustment of the wire mark to the stub mark, the forward mark is transferred, by a pencil, to the planed surface of a small wooden bench, sunk nearly level with the ground. The pencilled line is then numbered, the wire carried forward, aligned and stretched as before, the after mark adjusted to line on bench, the forward mark transferred to another and similar bench, and so on to the terminus.

The bench, which is about one foot square, and provided with four short legs, is firmly planted in the ground by the pressure of the foot after the wire has been approximately adjusted for di-

rection and distance. Four or five of these benches will be required, one being always left a wire behind as a precaution against accident. Stubs are driven at every second wire or 120 metres apart, to serve as tests of correctness in counting the bars during the final measurement. Each page of the record will commence and end at one of these stubs.

The end of the last wire, before reaching the terminus, should be marked by cross-lines on the usual copper tack and stub, so that when the final measurement reaches the mark, a close comparison may be instituted, if desired, between the two measurements. As the last wire will either fall short of or go beyond the monument, the difference should be measured with the 20-metre chain, a tape line, or metre scale, according to the distance, and duly recorded with its appropriate sign.

The above operation requires very little more time than the ordinary chain measurement, and is much more satisfactory. In order to show the accuracy with which such rapid measurements may be made on level ground, the two following comparisons are presented:

<i>Wire measurement.</i> —A to B = 82 wires $\times 6^m.00164579 \times 10$	4921.3495 ^m
<i>Base apparatus.</i> —A to B = 802 bars $\times 6^m.00164579$ — excess = $0^m.019$ + Rudie Creek =	
107 ^m .8408 + temp = $0^m.2107$ — inclination = $0^m.1681$	4921.1843
<i>Wire.</i> —B to C = 71 wires $\times 6^m.00164579 \times 10$	4261.1685
<i>Apparatus.</i> —B to C = 710 bars $\times 6^m.00164579$ + deficiency = 0.1016 + temp = $0^m.2200$ —	
inclination = $0^m.1676$	4261.3225

The temperature of rods.—The thermometers attached to the apparatus are compared with the standard at the office, and the correction to be applied, if any, is marked on the scale. The temperature, as a rule, is read at every ten bars, and without withdrawing the thermometer from its position next to the rod. Every possible care should be taken to preserve an even or slowly changing temperature, and that the thermometer should express the temperature of the rod. The box in which the bars are deposited at the close of the day's work should be left in an east and west direction, so that one rod or one thermometer may not be found the next morning unduly heated by having been exposed to the morning sun; and should any great difference be noted between the two thermometers, a delay of half an hour is advisable to permit them to settle down to about the same degree. The measurement should stop when the temperature is over 100° .

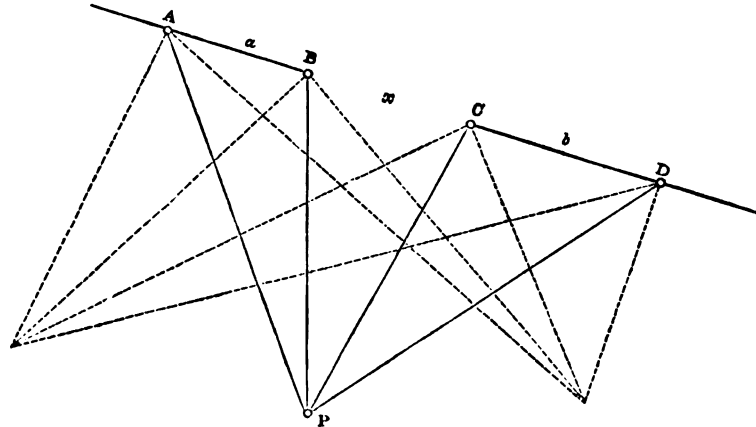
Inclination of the rods.—The bars should not be allowed, for obvious reasons, to rest for any length of time on the trestles, and as rapidity in the measurement is in some degree essential to its success, no time should be lost, during the operation, in an attempt to keep the bars exactly level. The inclination should be observed while the assistant is perfecting the contact, and the correction therefor will answer every purpose. When the inclination exceeds 3° or 4° , or is beyond the range of the sector, a vertical offset becomes necessary. The transit is set up directly opposite to the end last adjusted, and very carefully levelled. The after bar is then carried forward, placed on its trestles, levelled, and aligned, and then moved backward or forward, as the case may require, approximately by hand, and finally by the slow-motion screw, until the knife edge, adjusted for coincidence of line, is brought in the vertical of the plane of the fixed rod, under the direction of the aid in charge of the transit. When the contour of the ground shows that a vertical offset is unavoidable, the last bar should be made as level as possible. Care should be taken, however, when approaching an elevation or depression in the ground, so to manage the inclination of the bars as to avoid or to have as few as possible of such offsets. A table containing the correction for each minute of inclination may be computed by the following formula:

R = length of rod.....	say $6^m.00164579$
θ = inclination in minutes.....	say $25'$
correction = $\frac{\sin^2 1'}{2} \theta^2 R$	constant = $\frac{\sin^2 1'}{2} = \log 2.626422$
constant.....	2.626422
log θ^2	2.795880
log R.....	0.778270
	<hr/> 6.200572 = $0^m.00015870$

The distance across a creek, quicksand, &c.—When it is not possible to obtain the desired length of base-line without crossing a short distance in which the bars cannot be used, or it would be unsafe to depend upon them, as in the case of water, quicksand, boggy soil, or even a rapid suc-

cession of great irregularities in the ground, the unmeasured distance should be determined by the following method:

Let AB represent a section of the regularly measured base, about equal to the distance to be crossed, with its ends carefully marked. Recommence the measurement on the other side of creek or bog, and mark off a similar distance CD, all in the line of the base. Set up and adjust the theodolite on firm ground at P and in sight of the stubs at A, B, C, and D. At the intersection of the cross-lines on the tacks at these four points, or in line to P, insert a short wire, or nail, or the smallest object distinctly visible from P. Then measure the angles APD, APC, and APB, and for verification, the angle BPD.



Example.—Crossing of Rudie Creek.

Let AB = a = 90^m.0242 = distance corrected for inclination and temperature.

CD = b = 120^m.0316 = distance corrected for inclination and temperature.

BC = x = the unmeasured distance.

APB = A^1 = 19° 41' 44".56 = mean of observations.

APC = A^2 = 49° 02' 29".77 = mean of observations.

APD = A^3 = 75° 22' 02".56 = mean of observations.

BPD = A^4 = 55° 40' 14".50 = mean of observations.

$$x = -\frac{a+b}{2} \pm \frac{a-b}{2 \cos y} \quad \tan^2 y = \frac{4ab}{(a-b)^2} \cdot \frac{\sin A^2 \sin (A^3 - A^1)}{\sin A^1 \sin (A^3 - A^2)}$$

$\sin (A^3 - A^4) = 55^\circ 40' 16''.25$	9.9168826
$\sin A^2 = 49^\circ 02' 29''.8$	9.8780538
co. $\sin (A^3 - A^2) = 26^\circ 19' 32''.8$	0.3531314
co. $\sin A^1 = 19^\circ 41' 44''.6$	0.4723380
$\log a = 90^m.0242$	1.9543593
$\log b = 120^m.0316$	2.0792956
$\log 4$	0.6020600
co. $\log (a-b)^2$	7.0455432
$\tan^2 y$	2.3016639
$\tan y$	1.1508319
y	85° 57' 29".7
$\log (a-b)$	1.4772284
co. $\log \cos y$	1.1519135
co. $\log 2$	9.6989700
$\frac{a-b}{2 \cos y}$	2.3281119.....212 ^m .8687
$\frac{a+b}{2}$	105 ^m .0279
x	167 ^m .8408

For verification, change the position of P, and from the new point observe the same angles, and with these recompute x . In the above, the unmeasured distance determined from two positions was found to be identical.

Verification of measurement.—Care must be taken, while making the contact, to bring the knife-edge to the centre of plane; to hold the magnifying glass parallel with the rod when bringing the line on the index plate and slide to coincide; to make no mistake in reading the thermometer or angle of inclination, and especially in the adjustment of the transit for vertical offsets, or when the end of the rod is to be transferred to a stub.

To test the accuracy of the measurement, a part of the line should be always remeasured, and, if there is any doubt, the entire line. The following comparison is copied from the record of the measurement on the Virginia Coast:

August 30, 1867, from bar 148 to bar 286, inclusive,	
Mean of rods= $6^m.00164579 \times 138$ bars.....	828.22711902
Correction for temperature above 75°	$+0.00227743$
Correction for inclination of rods.....	-0.02329017
	828.20610628
September 2, same distance remeasured,	
Mean of rods= $6^m.00164579 \times 138$ bars.....	828.22711902
Correction for temperature 75°	$+0.02084498$
Correction for inclination of rods.....	-0.02279271
Correction for error in alignment of 19 bars.....	$+0.00007717$
Measured excess, at 286th bar.....	-0.01970000
	828.20554846
Difference about two-hundredths of an inch	0.00055600

Length of line.—The mean temperature of the rods during the measurement is obtained by multiplying the number of bars (usually, but not always, ten) between the observed temperatures, by the mean of the four temperatures, and by dividing the sum of these quantities by the total number of bars measured. The corrections for inclination are added, and the sum subtracted from the measured distance.

Rod No. 1= $6^m.00168541$ at 75° F. $\times 404$ bars.....	2424.68090564
Rod No. 2= $6^m.00160616$ at 75° F. $\times 404$ bars.....	2424.64888864
Distance across Rudie Creek computed.....	$+107.84080000$
Distance beyond 826th bar to centre of station.....	$+ 0.71930000$
Mean temperature= $81^\circ.77$, correction for $6^\circ.77$ above 75°	$+ 0.21094919$
Correction for inclination of rods.....	$- 0.16968103$
	4957.93116244

When two lines and the included angle are measured:

Let $a = 4957^m.931162$

$b = 4307^m.587099$

$C = 177^\circ 37' 59''.82$, or deviation from straight line $= 2^\circ 22' 00''.18$

$\theta = 2^\circ 22' 01''.69$, reduced to angle of chords, or $142'.0282$

correction $= \frac{\sin^2 1'}{2} \cdot \frac{ab\theta^2}{a+b}$	
$\log \theta$	2.1523746
$\log \theta$	2.1523746
$\log a$	3.6953005
$\log b$	3.6342341
$\text{co. log } (a+b)$	6.0331303
$\log \text{ constant } \frac{\sin^2 1'}{2}$	2.6264222
	0.2938363
	$a+b = 9265.518261$
Length of line connecting extreme points.....	9263.551014

Four lines were measured in the fall of 1867, the maximum deviation in direction being $4^{\circ} 27' 06''$. The correction to the sum of the measured distances to reduce them to a straight line was $32^m.616$,

And the resulting length of the direct line.....	14270.931^m
Reduction to mean level of sea.....	-0.005
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	14270.926
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To reduce to level of half-tide,

K = the distance or length of line.

h = mean height of bars above half-tide.

R = radius of curvature of the arc.

$$\text{Correction} = \frac{K h}{R}$$

$\log K = 14270^m.926$	4.15445
$\log h = 2^m.36$	0.37291
co. $\log R$	3.19660
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correction $= 0^m.005296$	7.72400
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At each station the horizon was closed by observing the supplemental angle, and while occupying the initial point, the azimuth of the triangulation was transferred to the terminus of each of the measured lines, as well as to the most distant visible station, to serve as checks and conditions.

To convert metres at $32^{\circ} F.$ into the United States standard measures of length for inches, feet, and yards, at $62^{\circ} F.$

Metres $\times 39.36850535$ = inches, or log metres.....	$+1.5951489$
Metres $\times 3.28070878$ = feet, or log metres.....	$+0.5159677$
Metres $\times 1.09356959$ = yards, or log metres.....	$+0.0388464$
Metres $\div 1609.40831$ = miles, or log metres.....	-3.2066665

RECORDS, DUPLICATES, AND COMPUTATIONS.

Beside the monthly and annual reports to be made to the Superintendent, in conformity with his "General Instructions," the following records, appertaining to the triangulation, are directed to be forwarded to or deposited at the office:

- I. A carefully compared copy of the original observations.
- II. A copy of the descriptions of stations.
- III. A copy of the plan of the triangulation on a scale of $\frac{1}{150000}$. This plan should show each unobserved angle by the usual broken line for half the length of one or both of the enclosing sides, and should contain a sketch of the shore-line and of the general features of the country embraced within its limits.
- The above duplicates are generally kept up in the field as the work advances, and are forwarded to the office at the close of the season's operations.
- IV. The original volumes containing the observations of horizontal and vertical angles.
- V. The original volume, entitled "Descriptions of Stations."
- VI. An abstract of the measurements and resulting angles, corrected, if necessary, for phase of signals and eccentricity of stations.
- VII. A cahier containing the triangle side computations.
- VIII. The L. M. Z. computations.

These are all forwarded to the office as soon as possible after the assistant has completed his computations.

APPENDIX No. 8.

METHOD OF ADJUSTMENT OF THE SECONDARY TRIANGULATION OF LONG ISLAND SOUND.

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The secondary triangulation of Long Island Sound, executed by the late Assistant Edmund Blunt, between 1836 and 1843, offers a peculiarity in its conditions of adjustment, for which reason it has been thought desirable to present a brief account of the same in connection with the final results reached. The peculiarity in question consists in the necessity of an exact conformity to the primary triangulation, to which this secondary series is joined at each end. Referring to the accompanying sketch, (No. 6,) it will be seen that we have here a complete circuit of triangulation 315 miles in length, 220 of which are formed by primary triangles already adjusted and unchangeable, and 95 measured by the intervening secondary triangles comprised between the primary line Tashua-Ruland in the west, and the sub-primary line McSparran-East Rock, in the east. The problem to be solved is to adjust, by application of the method of least squares, the small geometrical contradictions in the secondary triangulation, and at the same time to superpose perfectly the terminal side upon its corresponding primary, irrespective of the end from which we proceed to calculate, and of the particular ellipsoid of revolution that may be employed for the development of the whole triangulation. The problem has been solved analytically, but the solution cannot be practically applied in all its rigor on account of excessive complexity; and, although some methods have lately been pointed out* by which a solution is supposed practicable, the treatment here employed has the merit of being applicable in all similar cases, with the preservation of so much strictness as will render its results nearly as probable as those obtained by a mathematically rigorous treatment. At any rate, the results deduced cannot differ from the *most* probable ones by an amount exceeding their probable error. The successive steps of the process of reduction are as follows:

1. The angles measured *at each station* are adjusted whenever they present combinations. A special selection of the objects sighted on is made, with the view of admitting only such directions or angles as have the requisite degree of accuracy. Weights are introduced in accordance with the number of repetitions measured. At each of the four primary stations the primary directions must remain unchanged and the secondary directions must be made to conform to them.

2. The geometrical conditions of the secondary triangulation are found, and the normal equations are established and solved, with consideration of weights. The triangle-sides are then computed, starting from one of the terminal primary lines, from which the latitude, longitude, and azimuth computation of the whole of the secondary triangulation is carried out.

3. Unless there be an accidental agreement, we shall then find a discrepancy in the latitude and longitude of the two points of the terminal line, opposite the one started from, when we compare the same with the corresponding latitude and longitude already known through the primary work. The discrepancy in question manifests itself in three ways: first, by a difference in length between the side as resulting from the secondary and as given in the primary triangulation; second, by a difference in azimuth; and, third, by a want of coincidence of the lines. To adjust the first difference, an equation of length, which is in the nature of a side-equation, is carried through the entire secondary triangulation; to adjust the second, an azimuth equation is introduced, which

* See *Astronomische Nachrichten*, Nos. 1690 and 1697; also, P. A. Hansen's *Treatise on the Method of Least Squares in General, and its Application to Geodesy*, Leipsic, 1867.

is in the nature of an angle-equation, at the same time keeping *all other conditional equations satisfied*. In this case we have, therefore, two equations in addition to the former number of normal equations.

4. A repetition of the computation of the triangles thus adjusted, and of the latitude, longitude, and azimuth computation will bring out a small residual difference in lat. ($d\varphi$) and long. ($d\lambda$) of the end point (and the same for the opposite end) of the secondary line when compared with the corresponding primary line; we may therefore compute the small diagonal in distance and azimuth. If we now conceive a line drawn from each point of the secondary triangulation in the direction of the above azimuth, and varying in length proportional to the distance from the primary starting-line, as measured along the sides of the triangles, we produce a series of eccentric stations, the eccentricity being zero at the end started from and gradually increasing to a maximum, or to the value $\sqrt{d\varphi^2 + d\lambda^2}$ (where the quantities $d\varphi$ and $d\lambda$ are expressed in meters) at the opposite end of the triangulation.

5. We next reduce each station to center and compute the triangle sides anew, and finally carry a latitude, longitude, and azimuth computation over the secondary work for the third time, when no contradiction whatever will appear in the results. It will be seen that in this process of reduction the results do not depend upon the particular ellipsoid of rotation employed, (provided the same is used for the 1st and 2nd $\Delta'n$), and that the triangle and other geometrical checks will remain satisfied, if hereafter we choose to develop the whole triangulation upon any other osculating geometrical surface.

The practical application of the above process to the Long Island Sound secondary triangulation will be given briefly, referring the reader for the general method to Appendix No. 14, Coast Survey Report of 1864.

We have here in all thirty-two conditional equations among the angles themselves, as measured at the several stations, making the average correction to any one angle from this cause $= \pm 1''.33$.

The angles were measured with a twelve-inch repeating theodolite by Simms. As a specimen of these adjustments at any one station the following short reduction* of the angular measures at Shelter Island is inserted:

SHELTER ISLAND.

Name of stations.	Observed angle.	Weight.	Corrections.	Seconds corrected.
	° ' "		"	"
Williams-Nickerson	27 42 44.55	12	$v_1 = -1.59$	42.96
Williams-Gull Island Light.....	79 16 01.78	12	$v_2 = +1.54$	03.33
Williams-Montauk	115 08 12.47	4	$v_3 = -2.31$	10.16
Nickerson-Mount Prospect	51 28 22.94	12	$v_4 = -1.54$	21.40
Mount Prospect-Gull Island Light...	0 04 60.50	12	$v_5 = -1.54$	58.96
Gardiner's Island-Shinnecock.....	120 24 57.30	15	$v_6 = +1.50$	58.80
Shinnecock-Nickerson	161 15 35.58	6	$v_7 = +3.94$	39.52
Nickerson-Gardiner's Island.....	78 19 19.79	12	$v_8 = +1.89$	21.68
Montauk-Shinnecock	111 18 53.78	18	$v_9 = -0.50$	53.28
Nickerson-Montauk	87 25 27.15	6	$v_{10} = +0.05$	27.20
Friarshead-Williams	87 35 41.19	6	$v_{11} = -1.65$	39.54
Shinnecock-Friarshead	45 57 17.30	36	$v_{12} = -0.28$	17.02

From the combinations we derive the conditional equations,

$$\begin{aligned} 1. & \left\{ \begin{aligned} 0 &= +6''.21 + v_1 - v_2 + v_4 + v_5 \\ 0 &= -7''.33 + v_6 + v_7 + v_8 \\ 0 &= -2''.72 - v_1 + v_3 + v_7 + v_9 \\ 0 &= -0''.77 + v_1 - v_3 + v_{10} \\ 0 &= +7''.46 + v_1 - v_7 + v_{11} + v_{12} \end{aligned} \right. \end{aligned}$$

* See p. 81, Report of 1854.

and the equations of correlatives,

$\frac{180}{P}$	v	C_1	C_2	C_3	C_4	C_5
15	1	+1		-1	+1	+1
15	2	-1				
45	3		•	+1	-1	
15	4	+1				
15	5	+1				
12	6		+1			
30	7		+1	+1		-1
15	8		+1			
10	9			+1		
30	10				+1	
30	11					+1
5	12					+1

using, for convenience, $\frac{180}{P}$ for $\frac{1}{P}$ as multiplier.

From the above we form the normal equations,

	C_1	C_2	C_3	C_4	C_5
$0 = +6.21$	+60		-15	+15	+15
$0 = -7.33$		+57	+30		-30
$0 = -2.72$	-15	+30	+100	-60	-45
$0 = -0.77$	+15		-60	+90	+15
$0 = +7.46$	+15	-30	-45	+15	+80

hence,

$$\begin{cases} C_1 = -0.1025 \\ C_2 = +0.1258 \\ C_3 = -0.0497 \\ C_4 = +0.0017 \\ C_5 = -0.0551 \end{cases}$$

which produce the corrections v_1 to v_{12} , as given above.

There are seventeen angle and seven side equations in the figure of the secondary triangulation. Their treatment by the method of least squares and the triangle side, and latitude, longitude, and azimuth computations, starting from Ruland-Tashua, gave the following result for the terminal line, McSparran-East Rock:

Log. distance 4.3526260

True log. distance 4.3526300

Azimuth of line, McSparran-East Rock $282^\circ 45' 31''.382$

True azimuth of line, McSparran-East Rock $28''.446$

Difference at McSparran $-2''.936$, and at East Rock $-2''.927$; mean $-2''.931$.

We consequently add the following equation (XXVI) to produce an agreement in length:

$$\frac{14..15 \sin 1.2.3 \sin 4.1.3 \sin 4.3.5 \sin 6.4.5 \sin 7.6.5 \sin 7.5.8}{2..1 \sin 2.3.1 \sin 3.4.1 \sin 3.5.4 \sin 5.6.4 \sin 5.7.6 \sin 5.8.7} \\ \times \frac{\sin 10.7.8 \sin 10.8.11 \sin 13.10.11 \sin 14.13.11 \sin 14.11.15}{\sin 8.10.7 \sin 8.11.10 \sin 11.13.10 \sin 11.14.13 \sin 11.15.14}$$

The numbers refer to the respective stations, as given in the sketch. The directions $\frac{1}{2}, \frac{2}{1}, \frac{14}{15}$ and $\frac{15}{14}$ are considered fixed. The equation is to be established with plane angles.

EQUATION XXVI.

$$\begin{aligned}
0 = & -0.40 + .03 \binom{3}{2} - .16 \binom{4}{1} + .16 \binom{3}{1} - .08 \binom{4}{3} + .08 \binom{5}{3} - .26 \binom{6}{4} \\
& + .26 \binom{5}{4} - .02 \binom{7}{6} - .10 \binom{5}{6} - .01 \binom{7}{5} + .01 \binom{8}{5} - .13 \binom{10}{7} \\
& + .13 \binom{8}{7} - .08 \binom{10}{8} + .08 \binom{11}{8} - .12 \binom{13}{10} + .12 \binom{11}{10} - .08 \binom{14}{13} \\
& + .04 \binom{11}{13} - .37 \binom{14}{11} + .37 \binom{15}{11} + .10 \binom{2}{3} - .10 \binom{1}{3} + .06 \binom{3}{4} \\
& - .06 \binom{1}{4} + .09 \binom{3}{5} - .09 \binom{4}{5} + .12 \binom{4}{6} + .08 \binom{5}{7} - .08 \binom{6}{7} \\
& + .22 \binom{5}{8} - .22 \binom{7}{8} + .02 \binom{8}{10} - .02 \binom{7}{10} + .07 \binom{8}{11} - .07 \binom{10}{11} \\
& + .04 \binom{10}{13} + .07 \binom{11}{14} - .07 \binom{13}{14} + .15 \binom{11}{15}
\end{aligned}$$

The equation (XXV) to produce an agreement in azimuth is as follows:

$$0 = +2''.93 + \binom{3}{2} - \binom{2}{3} + \binom{5}{3} - \binom{3}{5} + \binom{8}{5} - \binom{5}{8} + \binom{11}{8} - \binom{8}{11} + \binom{15}{11} - \binom{11}{15}$$

We now reestablish the equations of correlatives and the normal equations, solve them, compute the triangle sides, and latitudes, longitudes, and azimuths of all the points, and find, as it should be, the line, McSparran-East Rock, to agree in *length and direction* but not yet to coincide with the primary line; we have at McSparran $d\varphi = -0''.007$, (about 8 inches,) $d\lambda = -0''.038$, (less than 3 feet;) the primary line lying apparently to the south and east not quite 3 feet off, which, in a total distance of 95 statute miles, is its $\frac{1}{169000}$ part nearly; but the whole of this error is not to be attributed to the secondary work, a part of it belonging to the 220 miles of primary work.

The latitude and longitude of each point is now corrected proportionally to the distance from Tashua, where $d\varphi$ and $d\lambda = 0$, with the maximum correction at McSparran, as stated above. The *relative* change of any two adjacent stations is, in maximo, about 7 inches. These corrections are as follows:

	In lat.	In long.
Friarshead	— 0.601	— 0.005
Sugarloaf	2	8
Williams	2	12
Shelter Island	2	10
Nickerson	3	15
Mount Prospect	4	19
Montank	4	20
Lanternhill	5	25
Watchhill	5	26
Chaplin	6	32
Block Island	5	29
Broadhill	7	35
McSparran	7	38
East Rock	— 0.007	— 0.038

Having thus found the correct latitude and longitude of each point, we reconstruct the triangles, correcting each angle for the above eccentricity for the part due to its own change of apex as well as for that due to the shifting of the directions to the changed stations. The sum of the eccentricity corrections in each triangle is zero.

The following arrangement for the computation of the eccentricity will be found convenient:

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Reduction of Friarshead to final position [$d = 0^m.120$].

Station.	Azimuth.	Direction. δ	$\frac{d \sin \delta}{D} \times \frac{1}{\sin 1''}$		Eccentricity.
	° ' .	° ' .	9. 0792	5. 3144	
Centre	284 52	0 00			
Ruland	61 29	136 37	9. 8369 8. 9161 4. 4661	4. 4500 9. 7644	+ 0. 581
Tashua	126 24	201 32	9. 5647 8. 6439 4. 7354	3. 9085 9. 2229	— 0. 167
Sugarloaf	179 36	254 44	9. 9844 9. 0636 4. 6524	4. 4112 9. 7256	— 0. 532
Williams	202 16	277 24	9. 9964 9. 0756 4. 6639	4. 4117 9. 7261	— 0. 532
Shelter Island	248 56	324 04	9. 7685 8. 8477 4. 5103	4. 3284 9. 6428	— 0. 439

Similarly we find for reduction of Sugarloaf [$d=0^m.196$],

[illegible]

and so on for the remainder of the stations.

The eccentricity corrections for the first and second triangles consequently become:

	1st Δ			2d Δ	
Friarshead	-	-	-0".748	Sugarloaf	- - -0".018
Ruland	-	-	+0".581	Friarshead	- - +0".529
Tashua	-	-	+0".167	Tashua	- - -0".511
	&c.				&c.

The results of the final triangle-sides computation, which proves the correctness of the whole, are as follows:

Resulting angles and distances of the secondary triangulation of Long Island Sound, between the lines Tashua-Ruland and McSparran-East Rock.

No. of triangle.	Name of stations.	Observed angles.	Corrections by adjustment.	Seconds of resulting angles.	Spherical exceds.	Log. distances of opposite sides.	Distances, in meters.	Distances, in statute miles.
		° ' "	"	"	"			
1	Friarshead	64 55 40.647	— .332	40.315	1.219	4.6958477	49641.82	30.84
	Ruland	82 49 18.258	+ .993	19.251	1.219	4.7354112	54376.40	33.79
	Tashua	32 15 03.845	+ .245	04.090	1.218	4.4606658	29245.95	18.17
2	Sugarloaf	74 10 49.040	+ 1.522	50.562	1.655	4.7354112	54376.49	33.79
	Friarshead	53 11 24.830	+ 1.592	26.422	1.654	4.6556115	45249.26	28.12
	Tashua	52 37 47.360	+ .619	47.979	1.654	4.6523985	44915.73	27.91
3	Shelter Island	67 43 46.190	— 2.859	43.331	1.175	4.6523985	44915.73	27.91
	Friarshead	69 20 18.050	— 2.018	16.032	1.175	4.6571952	45414.57	28.22
	Sugarloaf	42 56 04.820	— .657	04.163	1.176	4.5193178	33061.14	20.54
4	Williams	74 52 23.710	+ 1.236	24.946	.675	4.6523985	44915.73	27.91
	Friarshead	22 40 04.360	+ 1.104	03.256	.675	4.2536031	17930.94	11.14
	Sugarloaf	82 27 33.460	+ .364	33.824	.676	4.6639407	46125.46	28.66
5	Williams	120 36 34.980	+ 1.131	36.111	.438	4.6571952	45414.57	28.22
	Shelter Island	19 51 53.350	+ 2.192	55.542	.439	4.2536029	17930.93	11.14
	Sugarloaf	39 31 28.640	+ 1.022	29.662	.438	4.5261049	33581.87	20.87
6	Williams	45 44 11.270	— .106	11.164	.938	4.5193178	33061.14	20.54
	Shelter Island	87 35 39.540	— .666	38.874	.939	4.6639407	46125.46	28.66
	Friarshead	46 40 13.690	— .913	12.777	.938	4.5261049	33581.87	20.87
7	Nickerson	68 57 47.510	+ .243	47.753	.472	4.5261049	33581.87	20.87
	Shelter Island	27 42 42.960	— .381	42.579	.472	4.2235348	16731.50	10.40
	Williams	83 19 31.060	+ .024	31.084	.472	4.5531068	35736.07	22.20
8	Montauk	44 10 45.400	— .152	45.248	1.158	4.5531068	35736.07	22.20
	Shelter Island	87 25 27.200	— .535	26.665	1.158	4.7094965	51226.72	31.83
	Nickerson	48 23 50.740	+ .821	51.561	1.158	4.5837020	38344.41	23.83
9	Mount Prospect	64 38 28.870	— 2.206	26.664	.839	4.5531068	35736.07	22.20
	Shelter Island	51 28 21.400	+ .437	21.837	.840	4.4904907	30937.89	19.22
	Nickerson	63 53 13.570	+ .448	14.018	.840	4.5503536	35510.24	22.06
10	Mount Prospect	143 24		38.963	.358	4.7094965	51226.72	31.83
	Montauk	21 05 60.030	— .378	59.652	.358	4.4904907	30937.89	19.22
	Nickerson	15 29 22.830	— .371	22.459	.358	4.3608069	22951.27	14.26
11	Mount Prospect	78 46		12.300	.677	4.5837020	38344.41	23.83
	Montauk	65 16 45.430	— .530	44.900	.676	4.5503535	35510.23	22.06
	Shelter Island	35 57 05.800	— .971	04.829	.676	4.3608067	22951.27	14.26
12	Lanternhill	82 16 14.970	+ 1.188	16.158	1.209	4.7094965	51226.72	31.83
	Montauk	39 18 40.190	— .804	39.386	1.209	4.5152233	32750.90	20.35
	Nickerson	58 25 08.210	— .127	08.083	1.209	4.6438471	44039.90	27.36
13	Lanternhill	64 23 41.370	— .488	40.822	.584	4.4904907	30937.89	19.22
	Mount Prospect	72 40 33.230	+ 2.017	35.247	.584	4.5152233	32750.90	20.35
	Nickerson	42 55 45.380	+ .242	45.622	.583	4.3685917	23366.39	14.52
14	Lanternhill	17 52 33.600	+ 1.674	35.274	.267	4.3608068	22951.28	14.26
	Montauk	18 12 40.160	— .425	39.735	.267	4.3685919	23366.40	14.52
	Mount Prospect	143 54		45.793	.268	4.6438473	44040.00	27.36
15	Block Island	71 58 55.380	— 1.195	54.185	1.011	4.6438472	44039.99	27.36
	Montauk	69 12 04.690	+ 1.333	06.023	1.011	4.6364212	43293.35	26.90
	Lanternhill	38 49 03.910	— 1.085	02.825	1.011	4.4628414	29029.62	18.04
16	Watchhill	63 55 27.420	+ 3.654	31.074	.570	4.4628414	29029.62	18.04
	Block Island	59 51 08.140	+ .558	08.698	.571	4.4463406	27947.35	17.36
	Montauk	56 13 22.440	— .500	21.940	.571	4.4291659	26863.70	16.69

Resulting angles and distances of the secondary triangulation of Long Island Sound, &c.—Continued.

No. of triangle.	Name of stations.	Observed angles.	Corrections by adjustment.	Seconds of resulting angles.	Spherical excess.	Log. distances of opposite sides.	Distances, in meters.	Distances, in statute miles.
		° ' "	" "	" "	" "			
17	Watchhill	146 32 32.580	— .792	31.788	.233	4.6438472	44039.99	27.36
	Montauk	12 58 42.250	+ 1.831	44.081	.234	4.2538331	17940.44	11.15
	Lanternhill	20 28 43.690	+ 1.142	44.832	.234	4.4463406	27947.35	17.36
18	Watchhill	149 31 60.000	— 2.862	57.138	.207	4.6364212	43293.35	26.90
	Lanternhill	18 20 20.220	— 2.226	17.994	.207	4.4291661	26863.72	16.69
	Block Island	12 07 47.240	— 1.752	45.488	.206	4.2538331	17940.44	11.15
19	Champlin	59 40		29.273	.209	4.2538331	17940.44	11.15
	Watchhill	42 40 45.780	+ 1.247	47.027	.209	4.1490001	14089.65	8.75
	Lanternhill	77 38 46.080	— 1.753	44.327	.209	4.3075599	20302.99	12.62
20	Champlin	102 08 26.520	+ .424	26.944	.443	4.6364212	43293.35	26.90
	Block Island	18 33 08.730	— .077	08.053	.444	4.1489001	14089.65	8.75
	Lanternhill	59 18 25.860	+ .474	26.334	.444	4.5807011	38080.37	23.66
21	Champlin	42 27		57.676	.441	4.4291660	26863.71	16.69
	Block Island	30 40 55.970	— 2.430	53.540	.442	4.3075598	20302.98	12.62
	Watchhill	106 51 14.220	— 4.111	10.109	.442	4.5807010	38080.36	23.66
22	McSparran	70 26 25.590	— 2.325	23.265	.805	4.5807010	38080.36	23.66
	Block Island	41 54 46.210	+ .165	46.375	.804	4.4312914	26995.50	16.77
	Champlin	67 38 51.510	+ 1.263	52.773	.804	4.5725945	37376.15	23.22
23	Broadhill	109 38		05.919	.421	4.5807010	38080.36	23.66
	Block Island	29 49 48.740	+ 2.234	50.974	.421	4.3034576	20112.11	12.50
	Champlin	40 32 04.080	+ .290	04.370	.421	4.4195676	26276.50	16.33
24	Broadhill	107 39 31.040	+ 1.264	32.304	.210	4.4312914	26995.50	16.77
	Champlin	27 06 47.430	+ .976	48.406	.209	4.1169830	12911.69	8.02
	McSparran	45 13 39.620	+ .298	39.918	.209	4.3034577	20112.11	12.50
25	Broadhill	142 42		21.770	.174	4.5725945	37376.15	23.22
	McSparran	25 12 45.970	— 2.620	43.350	.174	4.4195676	26276.50	16.33
	Block Island	12 04 57.470	— 2.068	55.402	.174	4.1169830	12911.69	8.02
26	East Rock	21 04 09.162	— .395	08.767	.213	4.1169830	12911.69	8.02
	Broadhill	38 50		11.743	.213	4.3526303	22523.21	13.99
	McSparran	120 05 39.577	+ .552	40.129	.213	4.4924096	31074.89	19.31
27	East Rock	55 23 08.842	+ .516	09.358	.710	4.5725945	37376.15	23.22
	Block Island	29 43 52.560	+ 3.430	55.990	.710	4.3526300	22523.20	13.99
	McSparran	94 52 53.607	+ 3.174	56.781	.709	4.6556187	45250.01	28.12
28	East Rock	34 18 59.680	+ .911	60.591	.671	4.4195676	26276.50	16.33
	Block Island	41 48 50.030	+ 1.361	51.391	.671	4.4924094	31074.88	19.31
	Broadhill	103 52		10.030	.670	4.6556187	45250.01	28.12

APPENDIX No. 9.

RESULTS OF THE MEASURE OF AN ARC OF THE MERIDIAN OF $3^{\circ} 23'$, BETWEEN NANTUCKET AND FARMINGTON, MAINE.

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The following results of the measure of an arc of the meridian, extending over 233 miles (375 kilometers) along the coast of Massachusetts, New Hampshire, and Maine, are incidentally due to the general geodetic and astronomical operations of the Coast Survey, and were specially deduced on account of the more general interest attaching to this kind of results, due to the comparative facility of combination with similar results in other parts of the globe. In the ordinary progress of the survey other arc measures may be expected from time to time.

The terminal points of the arc (see accompanying sketch No. 6) are Nantucket Cliff, in the south, (lat. $41^{\circ} 18'$), and Farmington, Maine, (lat. $44^{\circ} 40'$), in the north; its total length, therefore, but little exceeds (by 18 miles) that of the arc of Peru, which is 9° further west in longitude. It is composed of six parts, nearly equal in extent. The astronomical latitude was determined at the following stations: Nantucket, Manomet, Thompson, Agamenticus, Independence, Sebattis, and Farmington, all lying within 50 kilometers of the meridian of Nantucket. The astronomical azimuth depends upon ten stations in the immediate vicinity of the arc, which lies in longitude $70\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ west of Greenwich.

LENGTH OF THE ARC.

1. The geodetic measures having been finally adjusted by application of the method of least squares, the length of the arc and its subdivisions were found by four different methods, the principles of which may be briefly stated as follows:

First method.—By computing spherical rectangular co-ordinates, with respect to a middle meridian, and ascertaining the difference (on that meridian) between the foot of the perpendicular and parallel passing through any latitude station. This method,* known to be not strictly rigorous, proved insufficient in accuracy, and gave the total length of the arc 4^m in excess of the true value,

Second method.—This method consists in *re-developing* the triangulation from the surface of the ellipsoid used in our latitude, (φ) longitude, (λ) and azimuth (α) computations.† For this purpose a new φ , λ , α computation was first made, satisfying, or nearly so, the conditions, Σ of differences of astronomical and geodetic latitudes $=0$, and Σ of differences of astronomical and geodetic azimuths $=0$. It was checked by computing once from the north and once from the south; any of the resulting values were found subject to no greater uncertainty than $\pm 0''.001$. The elliptic arc between any two latitudes is computed by the formula‡

$$S = \frac{g l''}{3600} - \frac{180}{\pi} g (2 a \sin l \cos 2 L - a' \sin 2 l \cos 4 L + \frac{2}{3} a'' \sin 3 l \cos 6 L - \&c.)$$

where

S = distance of parallels.

a = equatorial semi-diameter 6377397^m.16 [6.804643464]

b = polar semi-diameter 6356078^m.96 [6.803189284]

$$n = \frac{a-b}{a+b}$$

$$N = 1 + \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^2 n^2 + \left(\frac{3.5}{2.4}\right)^2 n^4 + \dots$$

* For an exposition of the method, see Airy's "Figure of the Earth," p. 199.

† For the formulæ, see Appendix No. 36, Coast Survey Report of 1860.

‡ Bessel, in *Astronomische Nachrichten*, No. 333.

$$N a = \frac{3}{2} n + \frac{3.5}{2.4} \cdot \frac{3}{2} n^3 + \frac{3.5.7}{2.4.6} \cdot \frac{3.5}{2.4} n^5 + \dots$$

$$N a' = \frac{3.5}{2.4} n^2 + \frac{3.5.7}{2.4.6} \cdot \frac{3}{2} n^4 + \dots$$

$$N a'' = \frac{3.5.7}{2.4.6} n^3 + \frac{3.5.7.9}{2.4.6.8} \cdot \frac{3}{2} n^5 + \dots$$

$$N a''' = \&c., \&c.$$

$$\varphi' = \text{latitude of higher parallel.}$$

$$\varphi = \text{latitude of lower parallel.}$$

$$\varphi' - \varphi = l$$

$$\varphi' + \varphi = 2L$$

$$a(1-n)^2(1+n)N = \frac{180}{\pi} g$$

The above formula, when expressed, numerically becomes

$$S = [1.4894921 \ 5] l'' - [4.5048417] \sin l \cos 2L + [1.52451] \sin 2l \cos 4L - [8.639] \sin 3l \cos 6L$$

Computing the partial arcs and the whole arc, we find by this formula,

	S
Nantucket-Manomet	70429 ^m .457
Manomet-Thompson	76002 ^m .148
Thompson-Agamenticus	67971 ^m .694
Agamenticus-Independence	59535 ^m .576
Independence-Sebattis	42718 ^m .163
Sebattis-Bannock	65556 ^m .502
Bannock-Farmington	—6989 ^m .296
Sum	375224 ^m .244
Total arc	375224 ^m .27

Third method.—This method consists in computing for each triangle-side (which goes to make up the arc) the differences of parallels by means of its length and forward and reverse azimuths. The latter are known from our φ , λ , a computations, and S becomes known by the formula*

$$S = s \frac{\cos \frac{1}{2}(a+a')}{\cos \frac{1}{2}(a-a')} \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{12} \left(\frac{s \rho'}{a} \right)^2 \frac{\sin a \sin a'}{\cos^2 \frac{1}{2}(a-a')} + \frac{1}{240} \left(\frac{s \rho'}{a} \right)^4 \frac{\sin a \sin a'}{\cos^2 \frac{1}{2}(a-a')} (2-3k^2) + \dots \right\}$$

where

$$\sin a \sin a' = 1 - k^2,$$

$$\rho'^2 = 1 + e^2 \cos(u+u')$$

$$\tan u = \tan \varphi \sqrt{1-e^2},$$

$$\tan u' = \tan \varphi' \sqrt{1-e^2}$$

For our application the first two terms suffice, and the formula was used in the form,†

$$S = s \frac{\cos \frac{1}{2}(a+a')}{\cos \frac{1}{2}(a-a')} \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{12} \left(\frac{s}{a} \right)^2 \sin^2 \frac{1}{2}(a+a') (1+e^2) \cos(u+u') \right\}$$

where the last factor, involving the reduced latitudes, is nearly = 1. For the sake of simplicity the length and azimuths of the geodetic line, Nantucket-Manomet, and also of Sebattis-Farmington, were computed. To obtain this Bessel gives three fundamental equations, (*Astronomische Nachrichten*, No. 3,) but it may be had by the formula,

$$\tan B = \frac{b \sin A}{c - b \cos A}, \text{ and } a = \frac{c - b \cos A}{\cos B}$$

where b , c , and A are given, (see Struve, in *Computation of Russian Arc*, Vol. 1, p. 246.) To pro-

* Bessel, *Astronomische Nachrichten*, No. 331, pp. 309-310.

† See, also, the form $S = s \frac{\sin \frac{1}{2}(a'-a)}{\sin \frac{1}{2}(a'+a)} \left(1 + \frac{\theta^2}{12} \cos^2 \frac{a'-a}{2} \beta \right)$, where $\beta = 1 + \frac{3e^2}{1-e^2} \cos^2 \lambda$, in the *British Ordnance Survey*, by Lieutenant Colonel James; London, 1858; p. 248. The azimuth angles are to be taken within the polar triangle.

ceed from the spherical to the plane triangle, Legendre's principle is employed in either case. The results are:

Nantucket-Manomet, log. distance=[4.9076543]; forward azimuth= $150^{\circ} 45' 06''.206$; reverse azimuth= $330^{\circ} 26' 07''.610$.

Sebattis-Farmington, log. distance=[4.7705477]; forward azimuth= $173^{\circ} 25' 24''.660$; reverse azimuth= $353^{\circ} 21' 50''.121$.

Results by third method:

Nantucket-Manomet	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	70429 ^m .534
Manomet-Thompson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	76002 ^m .116
Thompson-Agamenticus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67971 ^m .699
Agamenticus-Independence	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	59535 ^m .576
Independence-Sebattis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42718 ^m .180
Sebattis-Farmington	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	58567 ^m .209
Total arc	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	375224 ^m .314

Fourth method.—The two preceding methods involve, directly or indirectly, the latitude and longitude computations depending upon a particular ellipsoid. This last method is independent of this process and involves nothing further than the spherical excess of any hypothesis bearing upon the earth's figure. Bessel has developed a system of polar coördinates, and applied them in his *Gradmessung* in Prussia;* in this he was followed by Struve, in the computation of the Russian arc. By the formula previously given for the solution of spherical triangles, two sides and the included angle being given, the geodetic lines from Nantucket to each of the stations were successively computed. In the larger triangles the second term of the spherical excess, $\frac{e}{24r^2}(a^2+b^2+c^2)$, becomes sensible, and was introduced. The distances from Nantucket being thus known, the difference of parallels may be found by a resolution of the polar triangles. In the present case, I have computed the whole arc in order to obtain an independent check. The distances and azimuths of the computed lines are as follows:

Nantucket to Indian	-	-	-	-	49486 ^m .517	Azim. $108^{\circ} 00' 24''.298$
" " Manomet	-	-	-	-	80845 ^m .208	$150^{\circ} 45' 06''.206$
" " Thompson	-	-	-	-	155065 ^m .54	$160^{\circ} 59' 38''.866$
" " Agamenticus	-	-	-	-	219634 ^m .21	$167^{\circ} 39' 42''.489$
" " Independence	-	-	-	-	274459 ^m .56	$176^{\circ} 32' 18''.155$
" " Sebattis	-	-	-	-	316670 ^m .88	$180^{\circ} 31' 23''.070$
" " Mt. Blue	-	-	-	-	382038 ^m .50	$177^{\circ} 17' 35''.081$
" " Farmington	-	-	-	-	375245 ^m .43	$179^{\circ} 24' 21''.328$
[5.5743154]						

To find the reverse azimuth we use the fundamental relation $\frac{\sin a'}{\sin a} = \frac{\cos u}{\cos u'}$, (derived from Clairaut's theorem,) where $\tan u = \frac{b}{a} \tan \varphi$, and $\tan u' = \frac{b}{a} \tan \varphi'$.

Struve, by computing an auxiliary quantity, $\eta = \log [1 - (1 - \rho^2) \sin^2 \varphi] - \frac{1}{2}$, (Russian Arc, Vol. 1, p. 308,) and tabulating the same, renders the use of this formula very convenient. Extending his table to include our latitudes we have:

For latitude 41°	$\eta = 0.0006247$	$\Delta \eta = 0.000253$, and if we were to substitute Clarke's for Bessel's ellipsoid, $\Delta \eta = 0.000258$ very nearly.
42°	6500	
43°	6753	
44°	7006	
45°	7259	

We then have:

$$\mu = (\log \cos \varphi - \log \cos \varphi') + (\eta - \eta')$$

$$\log \sin a' = \log \sin a + \mu$$

which gives, for our reverse azimuth, Farmington-Nantucket, $359^{\circ} 22' 20''.908$. This value is

* See, also, *Astronomische Nachrichten*, No. 3.

checked by our formula for difference of azimuth, dZ , (Coast Survey Report of 1860, p. 361,) which gives the same result exactly. We now compute the difference of parallels by the formula

$$S = s \frac{\cos \frac{1}{2}(a+a')}{\cos \frac{1}{2}(a-a')}$$

since the line is nearly meridional, and find $375224^m.05$.

The results found by methods second, third, and fourth may be taken as identical, that of the third method being, perhaps, numerically† the more accurate, has been adopted.

ACCURACY OF THE PRECEDING RESULTS.

The uncertainty in the linear distances of the $1^{\text{st}} \triangle n$ was found to equal its $\frac{1}{288000}$ part, (Coast Survey Report for 1865, p. 195,) which produces a probable error of $\pm 1^m.30$ in the length of our arc.

To ascertain the uncertainty in the arc due to an uncertainty in the standard azimuth, we have the following table of station-errors in azimuth, (A.—G.,) and of the probable errors of observation:

	A.—G.	Prob. error of obs'n.
Indian - - - -	-4''.75	$\pm 0''.45$
Shootflying - - -	+3''.08	0''.29
Copecut* - - - -	+1''.04	0''.34
Blue Hill* - - - -	-1''.27	0''.27
Thompson - - - -	-0''.12	0''.45
Agamenticus - - -	-2''.15	0''.38
Independence - - -	-1''.55	0''.25
Cape Small - - - -	+1''.95	0''.38
Pleasant* - - - -	+2''.72	0''.38
Sebattis - - - -	+1''.08	0''.34
		$\Sigma(A.-G.)=0$

The station-error in azimuth greatly exceeds the error of observation, and the probable error, $\pm 0''.52$, of the standard azimuth (Shootflying to Manomet, $143^\circ 3' 19''.657$) for the arc is almost wholly due to the effect of local deviation of the zenith. An uncertainty of $\pm 0''.52$ in the azimuth produces a corresponding uncertainty of $\pm 0^m.01$ in the length of the arc.

If we were to omit the three stations marked with an asterisk, on account of their greater distance from the arc, the above standard azimuth would only change by $0''.35$, which is within the probable error.

The uncertainty in the arc, arising from the uncertainty in the standard latitude, (Thompson, $42^\circ 36' 40''.238$,) may be ascertained by means of the station-errors in latitude,† which are given in the following table:

No.	Station.	Geodetic latitude.	Reduction to Thompson.	Astronomical latitude.	Astronomical latitude referred to Thompson.	Station error.
		° ' "	° ' "	° ' " "	"	"
1	Nantucket.....	41 17 33.660	+ 1 19 06.578	41 17 32.86 ± 0.06	39.44	- 0.50
2	Manomet.....	41 55 36.772	+ 41 03.466	41 55 35.33 ± 0.05	38.80	- 1.14
3	Thompson.....	42 36 40.238	0.000	42 36 38.28 ± 0.10	38.28	- 1.66
4	Isles of Shoals*.....	42 59 13.304	- 22 33.066	42 59 12.88 ± 0.09	39.81	- 0.13
5	Agamenticus.....	43 13 23.158	- 36 42.920	43 13 24.98 ± 0.07	42.06	+ 2.12
6	Independence.....	43 45 32.466	- 1 08 52.228	43 45 34.43 ± 0.06	42.20	} + 2.06
7	Cape Small*.....	43 46 41.925	- 1 10 01.687	43 46 43.48 ± 0.04	41.79	
8	Sebattis.....	44 08 36.678	- 1 31 56.440	44 08 37.60 ± 0.09	41.16	+ 1.22
9	Farmington.....	44 40 14.313	- 2 03 34.075	44 40 12.06 ± 0.05	37.98	- 1.96
$\Sigma(A.-G.)=0$						

† Using seven places of decimals.

† The astronomical results, for latitude, as at first reported, are now corrected to accord with the best available star-places. April, 1869.

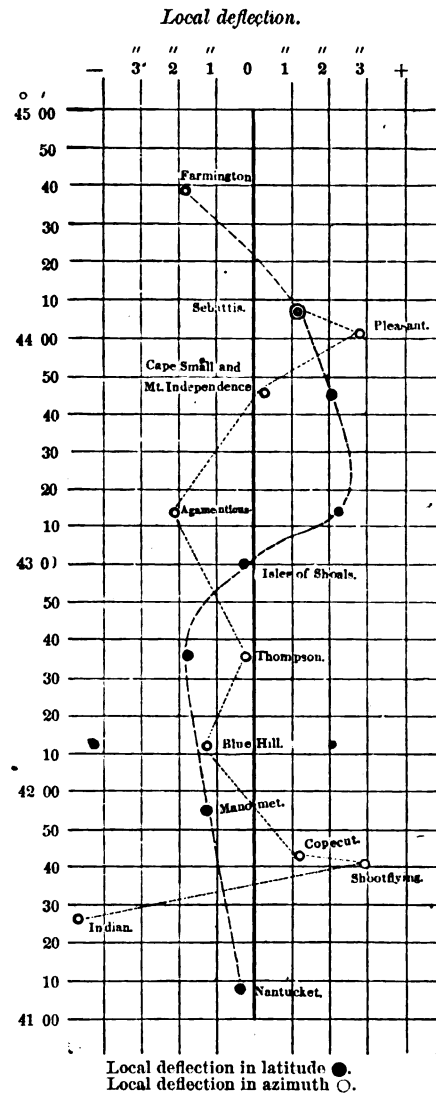
The mean astronomical latitude, when referred to Thompson, is $42^{\circ} 36' 39''.94$. Nos. 6 and 7 being in nearly the same latitude were united in one result, ($42''.00$), as indicated by brackets. Subtracting this mean value from each of the referred latitudes, we find the station-error in latitude at each place as given in the last column of the above table. The probable error of the mean astronomical latitude is $\pm 0''.32$, which is almost wholly due to the effects of local attractions. By omitting the stations Isles of Shoals and Cape Small, our results are not sensibly affected. An uncertainty of $\pm 0''.32$ in the mean latitude produces an uncertainty of less than $\pm 0^m.01$ in the length of the arc.

The probable error in the deduced length of our arc is, consequently, $\pm 1^m.30$.

The accompanying diagram shows the station-errors in latitude and in azimuth. The latitude deflection apparently consists of a large wave of disturbance, which continues through a considerable longitudinal extent, as found by other stations, and covers so great a length of the arc as to become a source of uncertainty in the utilization of the arc for combinations with others. Owing to this extended development of a systematic deviation from a regular figure, it is desirable that the arc be extended northward until this disturbing influence is passed; the smaller wrinkles of latitudinal deflection are more nearly of a size comparable with the probable error of the observed latitudes.

The unit of length in which the linear measures are given is the committee meter of the Philosophical Society of Philadelphia, which was compared, (August 24, 1867,) at Paris, directly with the standard *platinum meter of the Conservatoire des Arts et Metiers*, and was found (at the temperature of melting ice) $= 1^m.00000336$ of the *platinum meter of the Archives*. To express, therefore, our linear results in terms of that meter, they require an increase of their $\frac{1}{297619}$ part, or of nearly their three-hundred-thousandth part, and their logarithms require the addition of 0.0000014 6, or of 15 nearly, in the seventh place of decimals.

The geodetic operations were executed by the late Superintendent, Professor A. D. Bache, or under his personal direction.



DETERMINATION OF THE ASTRONOMICAL LATITUDES.

The astronomical latitudes were chiefly ascertained by means of the zenith telescope, in addition to which the zenith sector was employed at two stations, and at a third a transit in the prime vertical.

No.	Name of station.	Instrument.	Observers.	Date.
1	Nantucket Cliff.....	Zenith telescope No. 5.....	{ C. O. Boutelle..... F. H. Agnew.....	} November and Dec'r, 1866.
2	Manomet.....	do.....	{ C. O. Boutelle..... F. H. Agnew.....	} July and August, 1867.
3	Thompson.....	Zenith telescope Military Academy.....	{ T. J. Lee, T. E..... R. H. Fauntleroy.....	} September and Oct'r, 1846.
		{ do.....	{ T. J. Lee, T. E.....	} September and Oct'r, 1847.
4	Agamenticus.....	Zenith sector No. 1.....	{ A. D. Bache..... C. O. Boutelle..... R. H. Fauntleroy.....	} October and Nov'r, 1847.
		{ Transit No. 2.....	{ A. D. Bache..... G. Davidson..... R. H. Fauntleroy.....	} October and Nov'r, 1847.
5	Mount Independence.....	{ Zenith telescope No. 2..... Zenith sector No. 1.....	{ G. W. Dean..... A. D. Bache..... G. Davidson.....	{ September and Oct'r, 1849. September and Oct'r, 1849.
6	Sebattis.....	Zenith telescope No. 1.....	J. E. Hilgard.....	June and July, 1853.
7	Farmington.....	Zenith telescope No. 5.....	{ C. O. Boutelle..... F. H. Agnew.....	} October and Nov'r, 1866.

The stations Nos. 3, 4, 5, and 6 were occupied under the immediate direction of the late Superintendent.

The following comparison of results of latitudes obtained by different methods and instruments indicate that the astronomical latitudes may generally be relied on within the probable error, as derived from the observations themselves. The micrometric measures with the zenith telescope developed a certain dependence of the results on the zenith distance, which can only be attributed to systematic defects in the assigned declinations of stars. This variation is confined within narrow limits, and is also corroborated by the results obtained with the zenith sector; the differences of astronomical latitudes, however, are not sensibly affected:

Latitude of Agamenticus by zenith telescope -	-	-	43° 13' 24".89 ± 0".11
zenith sector -	-	-	25".07 ± 0".10
transit in prime vertical -	-	-	24".97 ± 0".14
Latitude of Mt. Independence by zenith telescope -	-	-	43° 45' 34".29 ± 0".08
zenith sector -	-	-	34".56 ± 0".08

The following is a recapitulation of the geodetic and astronomical results of the measurement of the Nantucket arc of the meridian, the correction for excess in length of the unit of measure having been applied

RECAPITULATION OF RESULTS.

Stations.	Observed astronomical latitudes.	Measured difference of parallels.	Length of meridional arc.
	° ' " "	Meters.	Meters.
Nantucket Cliff.....	41 17 32.86 ± 0.06	70429.77	0.00
Manomet.....	41 55 35.33 ± 0.05	76002.37	70429.77
Thompson.....	42 36 38.28 ± 0.10	67971.93	146432.14
Agamenticus.....	43 13 24.98 ± 0.07	59535.58	214404.07
Mount Independence.	43 45 34.43 ± 0.06	42718.32	273939.65
Sebattis.....	44 08 37.60 ± 0.09	58567.41	316657.97
Farmington.....	44 40 12.06 ± 0.05		375225.38

The total length of arc, in meters, 375225.38 ± 1.30.

The six partial arcs give the following values for the length of 1', viz:

Between Nantucket and Manomet	- - - - -	1851 ^m .4
Manomet and Thompson	- - - - -	1851 ^m .5
Thompson and Agamenticus	- - - - -	1848 ^m .2
Agamenticus and Mt. Independence	- - - - -	1851 ^m .4
Mt. Independence and Sebattis	- - - - -	1853 ^m .1
Sebattis and Farmington	- - - - -	1854 ^m .9
For the whole arc	- - - - -	<u>1851^m.6 ± 0^m.6</u>

Hence a degree in the middle latitude of the arc will be nearly 111,096 meters in length, with an uncertainty of ± 36 meters.

APPENDIX No. 10.

ADDENDA TO APPENDIXES No. 9 AND No. 11 OF THE COAST SURVEY REPORT
OF 1866.

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1. To (4) Appendix No. 9, on the determination of time by means of the transit instrument.

The observer will always find it convenient to prepare a working ephemeris to contain, for the locality and time proposed for observing, the stars selected, their position, magnitude, right ascension, (to which the clock correction on each night can readily be applied,) and setting on the finders for illumination west and east, according to the graduation of the circle or circles of his instrument. He will do well to start the clock at such a time as to indicate, as nearly as may be, sidereal time, and to regulate the rate in order to make it as small as possible. The following ephemeris may serve as a specimen:

SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS, August, 1869.

 $\phi = 39^{\circ} 49'$ $\lambda = 89^{\circ} 38'$

Star.	Position.	Culmination.	Magnitude.	α	δ	Setting.	
						Lamp W. Zen. dist.	Lamp E. Altitude.
Groombridge, 2330 .....	.....	U.	5.6	<i>h. m. s.</i> 16 05 58	<i>° ' "</i> + 68 09	<i>° ' "</i> 61 40	<i>° ' "</i> 28 20
δ Ophiuchi	S.	.....	3	07 29	- 3 21	43 10	46 50
τ Herculis	N.	.....	3.4	15 48	+ 46 38	83 11	6 49
α Scorpi.	S.	.....	1.2	21 23	- 26 08	65 57	24 03
η Draconis	N.	.....	2.3	16 22 14	+ 61 49	68 00	22 00
15 Draconis	U.	.....	5.3	28 15	+ 69 03	60 46	29 14
ζ Ophiuchi	S.	.....	2.3	29 57	- 10 18	50 07	39 53
η Herculis	S.	.....	3	38 24	+ 39 10	0 39	89 21
α Camelopardalis	L.	.....	4	41 02	+ 66 07	15 56	74 04
κ Ophiuchi	S.	.....	3.4	16 51 28	+ 9 35	30 14	59 46
d Herculis	S.	.....	5	56 46	+ 33 46	6 03	83 57
ϵ Ursæ Minoris	U.	.....	4.5	59 29	+ 82 15	47 34	42 26
α^1 Herculis	S.	Var.	.....	17 08 41	+ 14 32	25 17	64 43
b Ophiuchi	S.	.....	5	18 22	- 24 03	63 52	26 08
Groombridge, 966	L.	.....	6.7	17 22 14	+ 74 57	24 46	65 14
β Draconis	N.	.....	2.3	27 28	+ 52 24	77 25	12 35
α Ophiuchi	S.	.....	2	28 51	+ 12 39	27 10	62 50
ω Draconis	U.	.....	5	37 43	+ 68 49	61 00	29 00
μ Herculis	S.	.....	3.4	41 19	+ 27 48	12 01	77 59
ψ^1 Draconis, (pr.)	U.	.....	4.5	17 44 16	+ 72 13	57 36	32 24
γ Draconis	N.	.....	2.3	53 34	+ 51 30	78 19	11 41
γ^2 Sagittarii	S.	.....	3.4	57 23	- 30 25	70 14	19 46
22 Camelopardalis	L.	.....	4.5	18 04 24	+ 69 22	19 11	70 49
μ^1 Sagittarii	S.	.....	4	05 56	- 21 05	60 54	29 06
&c.							

To (5). Example of record and computation of inequality of pivots.

Let B and B' designate the inclination, as given by the level readings, for clamp W. and E., respectively; b and b' the same, when corrected for pivot inequality p ; then

$$p = \frac{B' - B}{4} \text{ and } \begin{cases} b = B + p \text{ for clamp W.,} \\ b = B - p \text{ for clamp E.,} \end{cases}$$

supposing the V bearings of instrument and level to have the same angular opening and the pivots to be circular in form.

Observations for inequality of pivots of Transit No. 4.

Station, Seaton, Washington—G. W. D., observer—June 19, 1867.

Altitude.	Time.	Temperature, Fah.	CLAMP WEST.			CLAMP EAST.			$\frac{B'-B}{4} = p$
			Object glass S. Level.		$\frac{1}{4}(\Sigma w - \Sigma e)$ B	Object glass N. Level.		$\frac{1}{4}(\Sigma w - \Sigma e)$ B'	
			W. end.	E. end.		W. end.	E. end.		
°	<i>h. m.</i>	°	<i>d.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>d.</i>	
55	10 30 a. m.	73	60.0	64.0	+0.600	59.0	65.2	-0.425	-0.256
			65.2	58.8		64.0	59.5		
50	45 a. m.	72	65.0	59.0	+0.950	64.0	59.5	-0.250	-0.300
			60.8	63.0		59.0	64.5		
45	50 a. m.	72.5	60.8	63.0	+1.450	59.5	64.0	-0.125	-0.394
			66.0	58.0		64.0	60.0		
40	11 00 a. m.	72.8	65.0	58.8	+1.050	64.0	60.0	-0.175	-0.306
			61.0	63.0		59.3	64.0		
35	05 a. m.	73	60.5	63.0	+1.200	59.2	64.0	-0.575	-0.444
			65.5	58.2		63.0	60.5		
30	15 a. m.	73.2	63.5	58.0	+1.000	63.0	60.5	-0.125	-0.281
			60.5	62.0		60.0	63.0		
25	20 a. m.	73.8	60.5	62.0	+1.125	59.0	63.0	-0.125	-0.312
			64.0	58.0		62.5	59.0		
20	30 a. m.	74	62.0	57.5	+1.500	62.0	59.0	0.000	-0.375
			60.8	59.3		59.0	62.0		
15	40 a. m.	74.5	60.0	60.0	+1.375	58.0	61.0	-0.125	-0.375
			62.5	57.0		60.5	58.0		
10	50 a. m.	75	62.0	57.0	+1.750	60.5	58.0	0.000	-0.437
			60.0	58.0		58.0	60.5		
5	12 00 m.	76	58.5	59.0	+1.250	58.0	60.5	-0.125	-0.344
			61.5	56.0		59.0	57.0		
0	10 p. m.	76	60.0	57.0	+0.875	59.0	57.0	0.000	-0.219
			58.5	58.0		57.0	59.0		

Value of 1 division of level = 1".05.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Mean } p &= -0^d.337 \pm 0^d.013 \\ &= -0^s.024 \pm 0^s.001 \end{aligned}$$

for position, clamp W., the value $+b$, as found by the level, must therefore be diminished numerically; and for position, clamp E., it must be numerically increased to allow for inequality of pivots. Irregularities in the figure of the pivots will appear by successive level readings for every 10° of zenith distance, north and south, and, by comparing with the mean of all readings, a correction can be deduced for any given position of the telescope and clamp. When the transit instruments are accompanied by a hanging level, (as in the meridian telescope,) the pivots may be tested for any zenith distance; instruments not provided with such a level may sometimes be tested by unscrewing the tubes carrying the object and eye lenses.

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Specimen of record for value of one division of level by means of a level trier.

Coast Survey Office, December 8, 1868—Determination of value of 1 division of level B belonging to Transit
No. 6—Value of 1 division of level trier = $0''.99$ —A. T. M., Observer.

	Level trier, forward.	Level B.		Change for 10d. of trier.	Temperature.	Temperature.	Level trier, backward.	Level B.		Change for 10d. of trier.	
		+ R	L					+ R	L		
<i>h. m.</i> 12 39	210	<i>d.</i> 91.5	<i>d.</i> 9.0	<i>d.</i> 10.75	62.5	62.5	210	<i>d.</i> 90.5	<i>d.</i> 6.0	<i>d.</i> 12.50	<i>A. m.</i> 1 04
	220	80.5	19.5	12.00			220	78.0	18.5	12.25	
	230	68.5	31.5	11.25			230	66.0	31.0	10.00	
	240	57.0	42.5	9.25			240	56.0	41.0	10.00	
	250	47.5	51.5	9.00			250	46.0	51.0	8.50	
	260	38.5	60.5	9.25			260	37.5	59.5	9.00	
	270	29.0	69.5	8.75			270	28.5	68.5	8.50	
	280	20.0	78.0	8.75			280	20.0	77.0	9.25	
12 52	290	11.0	86.5		62.5	62.5	290	11.0	86.5		12 52

Difference of level trier.	Corresponding difference of level B.		
	Forward.	Backward.	
	<i>d.</i> 43.25	<i>d.</i> 44.75	400 div. = $389d.75$ of B = $396''$ 1d. of B = $1''.02$ } on the average.
40	32.50	32.25	
30	20.50	20.00	
20	9.25	10.00	
10	9.00	8.50	
20	18.25	17.50	
30	27.00	26.00	
40	35.75	35.25	
200	195.50	194.25	

The above level is evidently irregular, its curvature being different at different parts and flat-test near the marked end. For the portion of the scale near the middle, and ordinarily used, we obtain the value $1''.08$, derived from 40 divisions of trier, = 36.75 div.

The observations should be made at different and extreme temperatures, in order to ascertain whether the curvature changes materially. When the level is furnished with a chamber, the bubble, during ordinary observations, should be kept at nearly the same length which was given to it in the experiments for value of level-scale.

To (6). Tabulation of factors.

The reduction of transits will be facilitated by a tabulation of the factors A, B, C, (as taken from the general tables,) and it will be noted that A will be + except for stars between the zenith and pole; B will be + except for stars at lower culmination; and C will be + except for stars at lower culmination; or B and C will have the same sign.

Table of star constants.

Springfield, Ill., 1869.

		A	B	C	A ²	C ²	AC
Groombridge, 2320	U.	-1.27	+2.36	+2.69	1.61	7.24	-3.42
δ Ophiuchi		+0.68	+0.73	+1.00	.46	1.00	+ .68
τ Herculis		-0.18	+1.45	+1.45	.03	2.10	- .26
α Scorpii		+1.02	+0.45	+1.11	1.04	1.23	+1.13
η Draconis		-0.80	+1.96	+2.12	.64	4.49	-1.70
15 Draconis	U.	-1.36	+2.44	+2.79	1.85	7.78	-3.79
ζ Ophiuchi		+0.78	+0.65	+1.02	.61	1.04	+ .80
η Herculis		+0.02	+1.29	+1.29	.00	1.66	+ .03
α Camelopardalis, &c	L.	+2.37	-0.68	-2.47	5.62	6.10	-5.85

C and AC change sign by reversal of instrument.

To (9) of Appendix No. 11 of Report of 1866, on the astronomical determination of an azimuth.

In planning work for observing an azimuth, according to the requirements of the case, the power and construction of the instrument, and the convenience of the observer, the following tables of the times of the culminations and elongations of four circum-polar stars will be found a useful auxiliary. These tables will give the times to the nearest minute for the first day of each month and for the year 1873, supposing the observer's position in latitude 40° N. and in west longitude 6^{h} from Greenwich, and by an easy interpolation they will give the times for any day of the year, for any year, (within this century,) and for any north latitude between 30° and 50° . The times are given according to astronomical accounts, reckoning from noon of the civil day.

Mean local time (astronomical) of the elongations and culminations of four circum-polar stars, for 1873, and lat. 40° , long. 6^{h} west of Greenwich.

1st.	α Ursæ Minoris.				λ Ursæ Minoris.			
	E. E.	U. C.	W. E.	L. C.	E. E.	U. C.	W. E.	L. C.
	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>
Jan'y.	0 30.8	6 25.2	12 19.7	18 23.3	19 05.0	1 04.4	6 59.8	13 02.4
Feb'y.	22 24.6	4 23.0	10 17.4	16 21.0	17 03.0	22 58.4	4 57.8	11 00.4
March.	20 34.1	2 32.5	8 26.9	14 30.5	15 13.1	21 08.6	3 08.1	9 10.5
April.	18 32.1	0 30.4	6 24.8	12 28.4	13 11.8	19 07.2	1 06.5	7 09.1
May.	16 34.3	22 28.7	4 27.1	10 26.7	11 14.3	17 09.7	23 05.1	5 11.7
June.	14 32.7	20 27.1	2 25.5	8 29.1	9 12.9	15 08.3	21 03.7	3 10.3
July.	12 35.1	18 29.7	0 27.9	6 31.5	7 15.1	13 10.5	19 06.0	1 12.5
Aug't.	10 33.7	16 28.2	22 22.6	4 30.1	5 13.0	11 08.5	17 04.0	23 06.5
Sept'r.	8 32.1	14 26.6	20 21.1	2 28.5	3 10.8	9 06.2	15 01.6	21 04.2
Oct'r.	6 34.4	12 28.8	18 23.3	0 30.8	1 12.3	7 07.7	13 03.1	19 05.7
Nov'r.	4 32.5	10 27.0	16 21.4	22 25.0	23 05.8	5 05.1	11 00.5	17 03.1
Dec'r.	2 34.4	8 28.8	14 23.2	20 26.8	21 07.1	3 06.5	9 02.0	15 04.5

1st.	γ Cephei.				δ Ursæ Minoris.			
	E. E.	U. C.	W. E.	L. C.	E. E.	U. C.	W. E.	L. C.
	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>
Jan'y.	6 03.0	11 52.8	17 42.5	23 50.8	17 35.7	23 23.4	5 14.9	11 25.3
Feb'y.	4 01.1	9 50.9	15 40.6	21 48.9	15 33.9	21 21.6	3 13.2	9 23.6
March.	2 10.9	8 00.7	13 50.4	19 58.7	13 43.9	19 31.6	1 23.2	7 33.6
April.	0 08.8	5 58.5	11 48.3	17 56.6	11 42.2	17 29.8	23 17.6	5 31.8
May.	22 06.8	4 00.4	9 50.2	15 58.5	9 44.4	15 32.0	21 19.7	3 34.0
June.	20 04.7	1 58.4	7 48.1	13 56.4	7 42.6	13 30.3	19 17.9	1 32.2
July.	18 06.9	0 00.4	5 50.2	11 58.4	5 44.7	11 32.3	17 20.2	23 30.5
		23 56.5						
Aug't.	16 05.1	21 54.8	3 48.4	9 56.7	3 42.6	9 30.2	15 18.0	21 28.4
Sept'r.	14 03.4	19 53.1	1 46.7	7 55.0	1 40.5	7 28.2	13 15.9	19 26.3
Oct'r.	12 05.6	17 55.4	23 45.1	5 57.3	23 38.5	5 30.1	11 17.7	17 28.1
Nov'r.	10 04.0	15 53.8	21 43.5	3 55.7	21 36.4	3 27.9	9 15.7	15 26.1
Dec'r.	8 06.3	13 56.0	19 45.8	1 58.0	19 38.3	1 29.9	7 17.5	13 27.9

1. To correct the tabular times so as to apply to any year subsequent to 1873:

Add, in the case of Polaris	-	-	-	-	0 ^m .35 for every year.
Subtract, in the case of λ Ursæ Minoris	-	-	-	-	1 ^m .0 for every year.
Add, in the case of 51 Cephei	-	-	-	-	0 ^m .5 for every year.
Subtract, in the case of δ Ursæ Minoris	-	-	-	-	0 ^m .3 for every year.

2. To correct the times for any year in a quadriennium:

For first year after a leap-year the table is perfect.

For second year after a leap-year add - - 1^m.0For third year after a leap-year add - - 2^m.0For leap-year and before March 1 add - - 3^m.0 For the remainder of the year
subtract 1^m.0.

3. To allow for difference of latitude between the limits of 30° and 50°, correct the times of elongations as follows:

For Polaris, add 0 ^m .15	} for each degree south of 40°, and	} subtract 0 ^m .19	} for each de-
For λ U. Min., add 0 ^m .11			
For 51 Ceph., add 0 ^m .29			
For δ U. Min., add 0 ^m .35			
			gree north
			of 40°.

To follow (13): (13 $\frac{1}{2}$). *Observations with a transit instrument in the vertical of a close circumpolar star, near its elongation.*

If a transit instrument only is available, and a mark can be placed in the vertical of the elongation, the method (see Coast Survey Report of 1856, Appendix No. 27) of measuring the azimuthal angle between the mark and a close circumpolar star at elongation by means of the micrometer-screw which moves one of the V bearings in azimuth may be applied with results possessing a considerable degree of accuracy. To secure this it is, however, essential that the sum of the positive and negative micrometer measures balance, (the mark being placed, for this reason, a little inside the vertical of the elongation,) in which case an inequality in the value of a division at different positions of the screw will not affect the result; further, the measures should be small, since the V supports of the axis are not pivoted, and any considerable motion must roll and elevate the axis, changing its bearings. The collimation is eliminated by reversals. The level correction may be found with sufficient precision by $\frac{d}{4} [(w+w')-(e+e')] \tan \phi$, (see Art. 13;) and the value of a division of the pivot-micrometer is found by means of successive transits of the star near culmination over the same thread, for equidistant micrometer divisions by the formula

$$A = \frac{\sin p \sec (\phi \pm p)}{\sin 1''} \sin t$$

where the sign \pm is to be used for upper and lower culmination, but generally the azimuthal value, expressed in seconds of arc, may be found with sufficient precision by the formula

$$15 \sin p \sec h \cdot t$$

where p =the polar distance h the altitude and t the hour-angle in seconds of time. The reduction to elongation and the correction for diurnal aberration are the same as in Art. 13.

Example of record and reduction.

Station, Cat Island, Mississippi—Polaris near western elongation—December 5, 1855—Observer, J. E. H.—
Instrument, 26-inch transit, by Würdemann, C. S. No. 9.

SET No. 4.

Object.	Lamp.	Chr. time.		Microm.	Level.		Remarks.
		<i>h. m. s.</i>	<i>t. d.</i>		W.	E.	
Mark	E.	7 16	1 86.0				Chr. time of elongation, 7h. 06m. 00s. 2. Rate of chr. small. Chr. 220 fast at time of W. El., 2m. 30s. 0.
			85.1				
			86.8	×30.5	30.5		
Polaris		7 18 59.5	1 77.8		30.5	30.5×	
		19 21.5	77.2				
		19 47.0	77.2				
	W.	7 21 55.5	1 75.3				
		22 16.5	75.9				
		22 45.5	75.0		30.0	31.0×	
Mark			1 87.0	×31.5	29.5		
			86.0				
		7 25	87.0				

Increase of micrometer readings corresponds to movement of telescope from north to west,
1 div. of level = 2".0. The value of 1 div. of micrometer is found from the following record:

Micr.	Chr. time.		Diff. from mean.		Polaris near U. C. $\phi = 30^{\circ} 14' 22''$ $p = 1^{\circ} 27' 15''$ 90 div. correspond to 439s. 0 1 div. corresponds to 4s. 8778 log <i>t</i> 0.68822 log 15 1.17609 log sin <i>p</i> 8.40444 log sec $31^{\circ} 41'$ 0.07009 0.33884
<i>t. d.</i>	<i>h. m. s.</i>		<i>h. m. s.</i>		
1 50	1 04 52.0		0 02 00.7		
60	05 39.0		01 13.7		
70	06 27.5		00 25.2		
80	07 16.5		00 23.8		
90	08 07.5		01 14.8		
2 00	08 53.5		02 00.8		
Mean 1 75	1 06 52.7	Sum	07 19.0		
					Value of 1 div. of pivot micr. = 2".182

The azimuth is deduced as follows:

Time from elong'n.		Red'n to elong'n.		Mean readings.	
<i>m. s.</i>		"		<i>t. d.</i>	
12 59.3		— 9.7		Lamp E. 1 85.97	1 86.32
13 21.3		10.3		Lamp W. 1 86.67	
13 46.8		11.0		Lamp E. 1 77.40	1 76.40
15 55.3		14.6		Lamp W. 1 75.40	
16 16.3		15.3			
16 45.3		16.2			
Mean		—12.85	Difference		9.92 = 21".65

Mark west of star	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+ 21".65
Correction for level	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	- 0".15
Reduction to elongation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-12".85
Mark west of star at elongation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+ 8".6
Azimuth of Polaris at west elongation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1° 41' 00".2
Mark west of apparent north	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1° 41' 08".8
Correction for diurnal aberration	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	- 0".3
Mark west of north	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1° 41' 08".5

To follow (18): (18½)a. *Observations with a transit instrument of a close circumpolar star, near culmination.*

If a transit instrument is fitted with an eye-piece micrometer, (movable vertical thread,) and if a meridian-mark can be established, its azimuth may be determined with great precision by micrometric measures of the mark and the star when culminating. In this case the time must be determined with precision, and, as the method admits of stars being observed above and below the pole, the effect of a small error in time or in the star's right ascension may be eliminated or greatly reduced. The mark should be at a distance sufficient to require no change in the sidereal focus of the telescope. The chronometer correction is found by the ordinary transit observations; in those for azimuth proper, the vertical thread of the micrometer is set in advance of the star successively by equal divisions or turns of the screw, and the transits are recorded by the eye and ear or by the use of a chronograph. The value of a division of the micrometer is found from the azimuth observations themselves.

Let t = time of transit of a culminating polar star, corresponding to one turn of micrometer converted into arc, then $1 \text{ turn} = \frac{\cos \delta \sin t}{\sin 1''}$. The level correction (in time) is found by the formula

bB , where $b = \frac{1}{15} \cdot \frac{d}{4} [(w+w') - (e+e')]$ and $B = \cos(\varphi - \delta) \sec \delta$. For lower culmination take $180^\circ - \delta$, instead of δ , or else reverse the sign of δ ; if the level correction, however, is not applied to the times prior to computing the azimuthal deviation, it may be applied after it, using the formula $i'' \cot \zeta$, where i = the inclination of the axis in seconds of arc $\left\{ \begin{array}{c} + \\ - \end{array} \right\}$ for $\left\{ \begin{array}{c} \text{east} \\ \text{west} \end{array} \right\}$ end high.

The collimation correction is found by subtracting the mean reading of micrometer, for lamp west and east, on the mark, from the mean micrometer reading on the star, and by converting this difference into seconds of time. (See determination of the value of micrometer.) The sign of the correction follows from the appearance of the record.

To obtain the hour-angle of the star, we have

T = observed chronometer time + ΔT + level correction + collimation correction and the hour-angle
 $t = \alpha - T$;

hence, the azimuthal effect

$$A = \frac{\sin p \sec(\varphi \pm p) \sin t}{\sin 1''} \left\{ \begin{array}{c} + \\ - \end{array} \right\} \text{ for } \left\{ \begin{array}{c} \text{upper} \\ \text{lower} \end{array} \right\} \text{ culmination.}$$

To the azimuth of the star thus referred to the line of collimation of the instrument, we add, algebraically, the difference of the micrometer readings of star and mark and convert the same into seconds of arc. The signs are readily found from the positions in each particular case.

The method is much simplified by observing each star with lamp east and lamp west, reversing at the middle of the pointings.

To (184) a. Example of record and computation.

Station, Depot Key, Fla.—March 20, 1852.— δ Ursæ Min. at L. C., and 51 Cephei at U. C.—Observer,
J. E. H.—Instrument, the Simms Transit, C. S. No. 8.

Time by 202.	Mark.		Time by 202.	Chr. time by 202.	δ Ursæ Min.	Chr. time by 202.	51 Cephei.
	Lamp E.	Lamp W.					
<i>h. m.</i>	<i>t. d.</i>	<i>t. d.</i>	<i>h. m.</i>	<i>h. m. s.</i>	<i>t. d.</i>	<i>h. m. s.</i>	<i>t. d.</i>
5 20	18 76.0	12 67.0	5 40	6 18 44	18 22	6 27 34	13 22
	76.0	66.5		19 11	17 72	28 08	13 72
	75.0	67.0		19 37.5	17 22	28 40.5	14 22
	76.0	66.5		20 04.5	16 72	29 15	14 72
	75.0	67.5		20 31.5	16 22	29 48	15 22
	75.0	67.5		20 59	15 72	30 22	15 72
	75.1	67.0		21 25.5	15 22	30 54	16 22
	75.1	67.2		21 52	14 72	31 29	16 72
	75.8	67.0		22 19	14 22	32 01.5	17 22
5 30	75.0	66.5	5 50	22 46	13 72	32 36	17 72
				23 13	13 22	33 10	18 22
Level.		1 div. of level = 1".				Level.	
W.	E.					W.	E.
48.1	49.8					63.0	38.0
63.0	35.0					49.0	53.5
48.2	50.8					63.5	39.0
63.0	36.3					49.0	53.5

Determination of the value of 1 division of the micrometer:

Mean of times, $6^h 20^m 58^s.5$ for δ Ursæ Minoris and $6^h 30^m 21^s.6$ for 51 Cephei.

Corresponding micrometer readings, $15^t 72^d$ for δ Ursæ Minoris and $15^t 72^d$ for 51 Cephei.

Hence the following differences from the mean:

<i>m. s.</i>	<i>t. d.</i>	From obs. of δ Urs. Min.: 1 div. corresponds to 0 s .5383 log 15 1.17609 log t 9.73102 log cos δ 8.77395 <u>9.68106</u> 1 div. = 0 s .4798	<i>m. s.</i>	<i>t. d.</i>	From obs. of 51 Cephei: 1 div. corresponds to 0 s .6793 log 15 1.17609 log t 9.89627 log cos δ 8.67961 <u>9.68197</u> div. = 0 s .4808
2 14.5	2 50		2 47.6	2 50	
1 47.5	2 00		2 13.6	2 00	
1 21.0	1 50		1 41.1	1 50	
0 54.0	1 00		1 06.6	1 00	
0 27.0	0 50		0 33.6	0 50	
0 00.5	0 00		0 00.4	0 00	
0 27.0	0 50		0 32.4	0 50	
0 53.5	1 00		1 07.4	1 00	
1 20.5	1 50		1 39.9	1 50	
1 47.5	2 00		2 14.4	2 00	
2 14.5	2 50		2 48.4	2 50	
Sum 807 s .5	1500 divs.		1005 s .4	1500 divs.	

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Mean of all determinations—1 division of micrometer = 0".4800.

$\phi = 29^\circ 07' 30''$ Mark, mean reading.	B = -7.30 δ Ursæ Minoris, L. C.	B = +11.04 51 Cephei, U. C.
t. d.	h. m. s.	h. m. s.
Lamp E. 18 75.4	Chronometer time 6 20 58.46	6 20 21.64
Lamp W. 12 67.0	Δ T -51.30	-51.30
Line of collim'tion 15 71.2	Sidereal time of obs. 6 20 07.16	6 20 30.34
Star, lamp W. ... 15 72.0	Corr'n for level 0.42×7.30 - 3.07	$0.337 \times 11.04 = + 3.72$
Difference 0.8	Corr'n for coll. 0.8×0.538 + 0.43	$0.8 \times 0.670 = - 0.54$
	T. 6 20 04.51	T. 6 20 33.52
	a 6 20 05.61	a 6 20 33.15
	a-T + 1.10	a-T - 0.37
Star E. of N A. - 1".09		A - 0".31
Mark E. of star 3d. 4d. 2 = 2 26".02		2 26".02
Mark E. of north 0° 02' 24".93		0° 02' 25".71

To which the correction for diurnal aberration is yet to be applied.

If we were to use the second formula for level correction, as directly applied to the azimuth, the computation would stand as follows:

	h. m. s.	h. m. s.	For δ { $i = -6".30$
Sidereal time of observation.	6 20 07.16	6 20 30.34	Urs. Min., { $\zeta = 64^\circ 16' 54''$
Correction for collimation ..	+ 0.42	- 0.54	For 51 { $i = -5".06$
T'	6 20 07.58	6 20 29.80	Cephei, { $\zeta = 58^\circ 08' 02''$
a	6 20 05.61	6 20 33.15	
a-T'	- 1.97	+ 3.35	
A	+ 1".95	+ 2".83	
Level correction foot ζ	- 3".04	- 3".14	
Mark E. of star	2 26".02	2 26".02	
Mark E. of north	0° 02' 24".93	0° 02' 25".71	

NOTE.—At this station, also, observations were made on δ Ursæ Minoris at upper culmination and on 51 Cephei at lower culmination, and the results were combined with those from the stars in the opposite position.

Art. (18½)b. *Observations with a transit instrument of a close circumpolar star, near culmination.*

If the transit has no eye-piece micrometer, (as is usually the case with the smaller instruments,) we may still accurately observe an azimuth by means of the pivot (or V) micrometer, as in the case of Art. (13½), but without moving the instrument much from its meridional position. When thus observing culminations, the same precautions respecting the employment of the pivot micrometer are necessary, as already mentioned.

It is desirable for these observations that a scale be applied to the micrometer to facilitate the counting of the whole turns. In connection with this method, and considering the special appliances when the instrument is known as the meridian telescope, the transit thus becomes of great importance in geodesy, as this single instrument permits most accurate observations for time, latitude, longitude, and azimuth. Should, for the latter purpose, the ground not admit of the location of a distant meridian-mark, a collimator is recommended, consisting of any firmly mounted (and collimated) telescope, of about equal power with the transit telescope.

The value of one turn of the pivot micrometer is either found from the azimuth record or from special observations of a close circumpolar star near culmination, as in Art. (13½), by the formula

$$A = \frac{\sin p \sec (\phi \pm p) \sin t}{\sin 1''}, \text{ or by } 15 \sin p \sec h . t$$

and, in case t is too great to admit of the direct substitution of the arc for the sine, we can apply the correction to the observed times by means of the following table:

t	$\frac{1}{2}(15 \sin 1'')^2 t^2$	t	$\frac{1}{2}(15 \sin 1'')^2 t^2$
m.	s.	m.	s.
5	0.02	20	1.52
6	0.04	21	1.76
7	0.07	22	2.03
8	0.10	23	2.32
9	0.14	24	2.63
10	0.19	25	2.97
11	0.25	26	3.34
12	0.33	27	3.74
13	0.42	28	4.18
14	0.52	29	4.64
15	0.64	30	5.14
16	0.78	31	5.67
17	0.93	32	6.24
18	1.11	33	6.84
19	1.30		

The correction for level is found, as in the preceding article, $=bB$, and the azimuth of the star is computed by the formula given in the same article, viz:

$$A = \frac{\sin p \sec (\varphi \pm p) \sin t}{\sin 1''}, \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} + \\ - \end{array} \right\} \text{ for } \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{upper} \\ \text{lower} \end{array} \right\} \text{ culmination.}$$

Example of record and reduction.

Station, West Gulf Shore, Ala., (second-order station)—51 Cephei near upper culmination, and Polaris near lower culmination, January 29, 1869—Observer, J. G. O.—Instrument, the Würdemann transit C. S. No. 10.

SET 2.						SET 1.					
Lamp.	Micrometer.		Time by sid. chronometer, Dent 2126.	Level.		Lamp.	Micrometer.		Time by sid. chronometer, Dent 2126.	Level.	
	Mark.	51 Cephei.					Mark.	a Ursæ Min.			
E.	t. d.	t. d.	h. m. s.	E.	W.	W.	t. d.	t. d.	h. m. s.	E.	W.
	15 95						15 94				
	96			54	53		94			61	58.5
	95			53	54		93			63	56
		19 42	6 53 05					18 15.0	12 55 26		
		60	53 47					18 07.4	56 02.5		
		73	54 17					17 98.0	56 45		
		84	54 47					17 89.0	57 26		
		95	55 17					17 80.0	58 02		
W.		20 34	6 56 40			E.		17 59.0	12 59 49.5		
		49	57 15					17 51.0	13 00 26.0		
		63.5	57 47					17 42.0	01 03.5		
		80	58 20.5					17 33.5	01 35.0		
		91	58 48					17 26.5	02 11.5		
	15 95						15 92.5				
	96			57	54		94			61	56.5
	96			56	55		92			59	58.5
Further observing prevented by clouds.						After this four more sets were taken.					

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Determination of the value of one turn of the micrometer.

The following record is a part of a set, the whole covering more than is here needed :

δ Ursa Minoris near lower culmination, February 5, 1869.

Chronometer time of lower culmination, 6h. 15m. 8.

Micr.	Chr. time.	Time from Cul'n.	Red'd.	Red'n time.	Time of 3 turns.		
	<i>h. m. s.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>h. m. s.</i>	<i>t.</i>	<i>t.</i>	<i>m. s.</i>
21.0	5 55 57	19.9	+1.5	5 55 58.5	21	to 18	9 62.7
20.5	57 40	18.1	1.1	57 41.1	20.5	17.5	9 59.5
20.0	59 23.5	16.4	0.8	59 24.3	20	17	9 55.7
19.5	6 01 02.5	14.8	0.6	6 01 03.1	19.5	16.5	9 56.9
19.0	02 41.5	13.1	0.4	02 41.9	19	16	9 57.1
18.5	04 21.0	11.5	0.3	04 21.3	18.5	15.5	9 51.7
18.0	06 01.0	9.8	0.2	06 01.2	18	15	9 55.8
17.5	07 40.5	8.1	0.1	07 40.6	Mean..... 9 57.0		
17.0	09 20.0	6.5	0.0	09 20.0			
16.5	11 00.0	4.8	0.0	11 00.0			
16.0	12 39.0	3.2	0.0	12 39.0			
15.5	14 13.0	1.6	0.0	14 13.0			
15.0	15 57.0	0.1	0.0	15 57.0			

The last column serves to indicate the probable uncertainty in the value. Subtracting the mean of the times and the mean of the micrometer readings from each separate measure, we obtain the following table :

<i>t.</i>	<i>m. s.</i>
+3.0	+10 01.6
2.5	8 19.0
2.0	6 35.8
1.5	4 57.0
1.0	3 18.2
0.5	1 38.8
0.0	— 0 01.1
—0.5	— 1 40.5
1.0	3 19.9
1.5	4 59.9
2.0	6 38.9
2.5	8 12.9
3.0	9 56.9

Hence, 21 turns correspond to 4179^s.4; 1 turn corresponds to 199^s.0.

Time of 1 turn = 199^s.0

$\delta = 86^\circ 36' 12''$

$\log t$ 2.29885

$\log \cos \delta$ 8.77267

$\log 15$ 1.17609

1 turn = 176^{''}.85

$h = 26^\circ 50' 06''$

2.24761

$\log \sec (\varphi - p)$ 0.04948

1 turn in azimuth = 198^{''}.2

2.29709

$\varphi = 30^\circ 13' 54''$

Increase of micrometer reading corresponds to a westerly motion of the north end of the telescope.

One division of level = 0^{''}.75, $B = +11.3$ for 51 Cephei, and $B = -20.0$ for Polaris; hence, level corrections $-0^s.28$ and $+1^s.81$, respectively.

SET 2. 51 Cephei. $p = 2^{\circ} 45' 32''$					
$t.$	$d.$	$h.$	$m.$	$s.$	"
Mean reading of mark	15 93.5	Mean of chr. times	6 56 00.35	Star W. of mer	824.1
Mean reading of star	90 17.15	Correction for level	- 0.28	Mark E. of star	835.7
Difference	4 21.65	Chr. correction	- 1 30.48	Mark E. of mer	11.6
= 835".7		Sidereal time	6 54 29.59		
		a	6 38 31.40		
		t	15 58.19		
SET 1. Polaris.					
$t.$	$d.$	$h.$	$m.$	$s.$	"
Mean reading of mark	15 92.75	Mean of chr. times	12 58 53.70	Star W. of mer	335.1
Mean reading of star	17 70.14	Correction for level	+ 1.81	Mark E. of star	351.6
Difference	1 77.39	Chr. correction	- 1 30.48	Mark E. of mer	16.5
= 351".6		Sidereal time	12 57 24.03		
		$a + 12h$	13 10 53.85		
		t	3 29.82		

To connect the direction of a-side of the triangulation with that of the meridian, the theodolite, employed for the measure of the horizontal angle subtended between the mark and signal, must be exactly centered over the intersection of the vertical planes passing through the optical and the horizontal axes of the transit. This may be effected in several ways, to suit the peculiarities of the station-mark, the instruments, and the ground. To fix this place of intersection, the telescope may be pointed vertical by means of its finder and level, after having a cylindrical piece of cork with a pin in its axis substituted for the eye-piece; the vertical, through this pin, will thus mark the point. Four stakes may be driven into the ground a few feet from the station to admit of two silk threads being stretched across and to intersect, nearly at right angles, exactly on the point of the pin; the transit may then be removed and the theodolite mounted over the vertical of the thread intersection.

APPENDIX No. 11.

NOTE ON GULF STREAM OBSERVATIONS.

COMMUNICATED TO PROFESSOR BENJAMIN PEIRCE, SUPERINTENDENT UNITED STATES COAST SURVEY, BY ASSISTANT HENRY MITCHELL, IN CHARGE OF PHYSICAL HYDROGRAPHY.

As my connection with the Gulf Stream explorations of the past year was very brief, I am not able to report upon the work as a whole, and must therefore content myself with describing in general terms the result of those particular observations which fell to my share. My accomplished associate, L. F. Pourtales, who remained with the party during the entire season, and Acting Master Platt, commanding the steamer Bibb, have doubtless prepared detailed reports.

You will remember that in my report upon our explorations of 1867 I called your attention to my current observations at great depths below the surface, in the channel between Florida and Cuba, which seemed to show that there existed no counter-current, but that, on the contrary, the Gulf Stream in this section is essentially uniform from surface nearly down to the bottom, even where the depth is a thousand fathoms, which led me to conclude that the low temperature which we have always found in our deep casts could nowhere be attributed to the existence of a counter-current from the north. I regretted very much disturbing the popular belief in the underlying *polar current*, because its discovery would have been so satisfactory in explaining the origin of the Gulf Stream upon the heat theory, *i. e.*, as an overflow of the heated waters of the Gulf of Mexico, necessitating an inflow for the restoration of equilibrium. I therefore felt it incumbent upon me to push my observations a little further and ascertain whether, under similar conditions in other respects, the temperatures decline as you go down in a motionless sea. My first efforts of the past season were, therefore, directed to examinations in the Nicholas and Santarem Channels, which, like the Gulf of Providence and Exuma Sound, are not depressions worn by currents, but appear to be portions of the ocean-bed left undisturbed in the sudden upheaval of the Bahama Banks, or else patches of these banks that have broken and sunk down bodily.

Our examinations in the two channels named showed them to be nearly motionless masses of water, in which the decline of temperature with the depth is even a little more rapid than in the track of the Gulf Stream, as if the latter, instead of inducing its peculiar variations of temperature, had disturbed the natural order and mixed up the warm and cold waters a little. In discussing our observations as we made them it seemed to us that, in some mysterious way, depth (or pressure) and temperature were related, even more perfectly in these sheltered and stagnant basins than elsewhere. I wish you would suggest to our naval officers cruising in the Atlantic to make a few sub-current observations off Cape St. Roque, and at other points where the ocean is known to be cold at great depths. It would be curious if the horizontal motion of the water should be wholly disconnected with this subject.

I have referred to the basins of the Bahamas as offering no indications of having been excavated by running water, and I am tempted to believe that the Straits of Florida do not owe their depths to the Gulf Stream, because the narrowest part of the channel is the shallowest, and because in this neighborhood Mr. Pourtales dredged up agglomerated corals—the living and the dead combined—indicating that the stream was not wearing the bottom away, but the latter really rising.

In this last cruise we were able to anchor buoys and thus measure currents with accuracy. This can be done anywhere, and our charts ought to contain this kind of data. Our way of working was this: We first anchored a buoy, then having reeled the log-line within a free float, fastened the end of this line to the buoy, and as it reeled out, counted seconds. By this maneuver we avoided

securing the boat to the buoy, which might have caused the anchor to drag. Our way of observing sub-currents was the oldest and best, viz, by using large bodies suspended by telegraph wire.

One very calm day, while lying in the axis of the stream, we endeavored to ascertain if there was a thread of maximum velocity not far below the surface, but at 33 fathoms and 75 fathoms we could not detect the slightest variation of velocity, and as we drew up our apparatus there was no point nearer the surface which appeared to vary. Some years ago I made very delicate observations upon tidal currents in the Vineyard Sound, and failed to detect any variation of velocity till near the bottom. I had been familiar with many variations of velocity for different strata in harbor channels, especially where fresh-water feeders existed. I am satisfied that the surface current is often more tardy in small streams because of the irregular character of the banks along the water-line, the resistances being transmitted across the surface; below the vegetable earth and the roots, the path-way is smoother.

I beg you to accept this hasty little sketch in lieu of a report.

Very respectfully, yours,

H. MITCHELL

APPENDIX No. 12.

REPORT OF ASSISTANT L. F. POURTALES ON DREDGINGS MADE IN THE SEA NEAR
THE FLORIDA REEFS.

WASHINGTON, October, 1868.

SIR: I have the honor to submit the following report of my occupations while accompanying the hydrographical party of Acting Master R. Platt, on the coast of Florida and in the Gulf Stream.

During the first part of the season the party on board the steamer Bibb was engaged in completing the off-shore hydrography in the vicinity of the Tortugas. Whenever it was practicable the dredge was employed to get a more perfect idea of the character of the bottom, and to ascertain the distribution in depth of the various animals and plants whose remains have formed, and are now forming, all the solid land of that part of the country. When the weather did not permit sounding, the various keys and shoals were visited and examined with regard to their formation, their plants, and their animals. This small group of islands is of interest in so far as it appears to be the newest of the whole chain of Florida Keys. The soil consists mostly of loose shell-sand, consolidated only in a few places, particularly on Loggerhead Key, the largest of the group. Here it forms a coarse limestone, stratified and dipping on all sides toward the sea, being only the successive consolidated layers of the beach. It is found in all stages of formation and of destruction, and shows the recency of its formation by containing occasionally iron bolts, nuts, &c., probably not older than the time of building the light-house. The other keys are only small sand islands, generally washing away at one end and forming at the other. Several of them have entirely disappeared, for instance Southwest Key and North Key; of Bush Key little remains but a few stunted trees, (*Avicennia*.) Sand Key, used as a cemetery for the garrison of Fort Jefferson, is washing away rapidly.

The scanty vegetation appears to prove also the recent origin of the group. There appears to be not much more than a dozen indigenous plants, of which the most common is *Suriana maritima*, a large shrub or bush, improperly called bay-cedar, or simply cedar, by the inhabitants. Of trees there are none but about a dozen crippled *avicennias* (*vulgo* black mangrove) on Bush Key. The true mangrove, so common on the other Florida keys, does not grow on the Tortugas. The keys are separated from each other generally by deep channels with abrupt sides, running between extensive shoals. The latter are sandy and sometimes rocky, very even on top, with scattered small coral heads. The talus bordering them along the channels is generally thickly overgrown with branch coral, (*Madrepora cervicornis*,) which probably contributes in keeping up the steepness. It is rather remarkable that some of the narrow and deep channels maintain themselves without a tidal current passing through them, as, for instance, Garden Key anchorage, where the vessels at anchor never seem to be in the least influenced by a current, but always ride head to the wind, be it ever so light. Collections of animals and plants were made here. After leaving Tortugas, and while the steamer was engaged in being repaired in Key West, I made a short cruise along the Florida reef, in the schooner G. M. Bache, going as far as Carysfort light, and examining the more interesting points on the way. At Carysfort light-house may be seen one of the finest examples of a living coral reef on our coast; at least, there is a smaller proportion of dead coral than on other parts of the reef. The *Madrepora palmata* is the prevalent form. *M. cervicornis* is rather rare and small. At the Tortugas the proportion is just the reverse.

Looe Key is another interesting reef visited; the key which formerly existed there disappeared entirely in the hurricane of 1846. It was one of the few emerged points of the reef, of which the principal remaining ones are Sand Key and the Samboes. They consist in accumulations of sand, shells, and coral piled up by the sea, and always liable to be entirely destroyed by hurricanes.

On the arrival of Assistant H. Mitchell, the steamer started for the Salt Key Bank, to make soundings and current observations in the Gulf Stream, and in the St. Nicholas and Santarem

Channels. Detained by stormy weather at Salt Key and at the Double-headed Shot Keys, we had good opportunities to examine the formation of these islands, built up of the same material as the Florida Keys, but in an entirely different manner. While the Florida Keys are all flat and not higher than eight or ten feet above low-water mark, the chains of keys bordering the Salt Key Bank are elevated some fifty or sixty feet, and have generally very abrupt sides. They appear to be of various ages; Salt Key, for instance, being still sandy, while the Dog Rocks are the ruins of islands nearly worn away by the sea. As at the Bermudas and the Bahamas, the elevation of the land is not due to upheaval, but simply to successive accumulations of layers of sand by the wind, or mixed with the spray. The various stages of the process may be seen at several places, but the destructive agencies are still more prevalent. No coral reefs were seen on the Salt Key Bank, and corals in general appeared rare. The dredgings in the St. Nicholas and Santarem Channels were not very productive except in dead shells. After Mr. Mitchell left, lines of soundings were run from the Florida Reef toward the middle of the Gulf Stream, every sounding being accompanied by a cast of the dredge. The steam reeling-apparatus on the hurricane-deck being fitted with two drums or reels, it was found practicable to perform both operations at the same time. The six following lines were run:

1st. Off Coffin's Patches, coming back from Double-headed Shot Keys, only four positions were occupied with the dredge, in 512, 195, 115, and 99 fathoms.

2d. Off Sombrero, seven positions, in 111, 121, 140, 152, 183, 262, and 517 fathoms.

3d. Off Bahia Honda, thirteen positions, 19, 35, 55, 75, 91, 105, 100, 107, 119, 128, 176, 324, and 418 fathoms.

4th. Off American Shoal, fifteen positions, in 16, 30, 43, 55, 75, 83, 98, 94, 100, 111, 120, 150, 135, 266, and 263 fathoms.

5th. Off the Eastern Samboes, nineteen positions, in 13, 34, 50, 67, 80, 93, 96, 101, 106, 106, 116, 123, 125, 125, 137, 139, 147, 298, 237 fathoms.

6th. Off Sand Key, twenty-one positions, in 23, 26, 54, 67, 82, 94, 103, 105, 119, 119, 128, 127, 123, 134, 143, 138, 154, 292, 306, 248, and 282 fathoms.

A number of casts of the dredge were also made off Sand Key, in 100 and 120 fathoms, while observing currents.

The detailed results, particularly in a zoölogical point of view, will be published by the Museum of Comparative Zoölogy, of Cambridge, as offered by Professor Agassiz. The general results were communicated to the National Academy at its late meeting in Northampton, and may be summed up here again in a few words. From the reef to a depth of about 90 fathoms, the slope is rather gradual, and the bottom consists chiefly of shell-sand of various degrees of coarseness or calcareous mud. Living organisms are scarce, the dredge bringing up only a few shells, crustacea, and worms. Between 90 and 100 fathoms, and at a distance of — miles from the reef, we find the beginning of a kind of plateau, or gentle slope, on which the bottom consists of limestone, apparently in process of formation from the consolidated debris of the shells, corals, and other animals living in considerable numbers in those depths. This rocky region forms a band parallel to the reef about — miles in breadth, and reaching to a depth of between 250 and 300 fathoms. It is inhabited by a remarkably rich fauna, in which nearly all classes of the invertebrates are represented, and, as might be expected, by a very large proportion of undescribed species. A rough enumeration will suffice in this place, as the descriptions will shortly be published elsewhere. Thus we have of molluscs about 40 species, of crustacea about —, of echinidæ — species, of asteridæ — species, holothuridæ 3, corals about 20, gorgonidæ —, hydroids —, and many of the usual deep-sea forms of foraminifera. The most characteristic and common forms are two species of brachiopods, (*terebratula* and *waldheimia*), a *cidaris* and a *comatula*. They are brought up in almost every cast of the dredge, sometimes in great numbers. Bones of the manatee are very frequently brought up, a fact of difficult explanation, as that animal does not generally inhabit the open sea.

The inclined plateau terminates in a steeper slope, on and beyond which is found a fine white or gray mud, consisting mainly of foraminifera, which covers immense surfaces of the bottom of the ocean. The dredge showed it to be not quite destitute of higher forms of life, among which

the most interesting discovery was that of a living crinoid belonging probably to a species found only as a fossil in Guadeloupe.

Before leaving the coast of Florida, the first steps of an experiment suggested by Professor Agassiz were taken, having for its object the ascertaining of the rate of growth of corals at various depths. At first buoys with objects of a proper nature attached at different heights of the chain had been thought of. Preference was, however, given to the plan of laying a wire on the bottom from shallow to deep water, with tiles attached at short intervals, the whole to be raised after a specified time and examined. The tiles not having been furnished by the manufacturer, large shells or conches (*Strombus gigas*) were collected on the beaches and strung on the wire about 12 feet apart. One mile of such wire was laid at the Western Sambo, beginning at a depth of 4 feet and ending at 64 feet. A second wire similarly arranged was laid off the Western Dry Rocks, beginning in $9\frac{1}{2}$ and ending in 25 fathoms. This second line is stronger than the former, consisting of galvanized wire obtained from the telegraph company. The positions of the ends were carefully determined by angles, so that the wires can be grappled up at any time. On the trip homeward I determined to examine a few spots off the coast of the Carolinas, marked on some charts as rocky bottom, and which I thought problematical, as our whole coast from Montauk Point to Cape Florida was believed to be purely sandy. The first spot dredged over was about latitude $33^{\circ} 10'$ and longitude $78^{\circ} 45'$, marked "rocky" and "fishing-ground," on Blunt's chart. We found only very hard sand in large ripple-marks, with a few dead shells; probably we did not find the right spot, and were not willing to spend much time on it. But nearer shore, fourteen miles north-northeast of Bald Head, North Carolina, nine fathoms, and in seven fathoms, close to the entrance of Cape Fear River, patches of rocky bottom were found, with an abundant growth of coral, (*Occulina arbuscula*,) shells, &c. Specimens of the rock itself were obtained in small fragments of limestone, scarcely sufficient to decide if it is of recent formation or the continuation of the tertiary strata found at a short distance inland.

Respectfully submitted.

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APPENDIX No. 13.

LIST OF GEOGRAPHICAL POSITIONS DETERMINED BY THE UNITED STATES COAST SURVEY, CONTINUED FROM THE ANNUAL REPORTS OF 1851, 1853, 1855, 1857, 1859, 1864, AND 1865.

Full explanations having been given in the reports above referred to, it suffices here to state that no general changes have been made in the fundamental latitudes and longitudes from those given in preceding reports; in Section VII the longitude of the flag-staff in the public square of Pensacola has been taken $87^{\circ} 12' 43''.57$; in Section VIII, the longitudes of positions east of Atchafalaya Bay depend as heretofore on the longitude of Fort Morgan.

GEOGRAPHICAL POSITIONS.

Section I.—St. Croix River, Me.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
NAVY	45 03 16.70	67 02 17.82						
SHORTLAND	45 05 25.50	67 08 50.19	294 49 08	NAVY	114 53 46	9457.8	10342.7	5.88
Chamcook 2	45 07 29.14	67 04 38.99	338 22 33 55 13 26	NAVY	158 24 13	8381.0	9165.2	5.21
Devil's Head	45 09 11.96	67 09 21.63	297 10 32 354 22 59	SHORTLAND	235 10 29	6686.6	7312.2	4.15
Table Top	45 09 55.87	67 07 23.84	117 13 53 174 23 21	CHAMCOOK 2	6942.4	7592.0	4.31	
Cookson's Island	45 13 06.21	67 10 34.74	321 29 54 62 13 41	SHORTLAND	7023.6	7680.8	4.36	
Lane	45 09 31.33	67 12 40.71	323 13 21 324 38 16	CHAMCOOK 2	141 31 51	5786.1	6327.5	3.60
Sinclair	45 10 57.39	67 13 40.66	277 48 38 292 30 15	DEVIL'S HEAD	242 12 17	2907.7	3179.7	1.81
Todd	45 10 18.80	67 18 30.98	333 13 21 285 33 28	CHAMCOOK 2	143 17 33	12984.1	14489.0	8.07
Curtis	45 13 35.37	67 17 38.45	324 38 16	TABLE TOP	144 40 31	7203.0	7877.0	4.48
Rye	45 07 23.47	67 25 09.21	277 48 38 292 30 15	DEVIL'S HEAD	97 51 00	4388.8	4799.4	2.73
St. David	45 15 01.70	67 13 39.74	333 13 21 285 33 28	COOKSON'S ISLAND	22 31 44	7180.1	7851.9	4.46
Calais, astronomical observatory.	45 11 04.59	67 16 30.17	280 48 33 243 31 01	Lane	153 46 25	2961.3	3238.4	1.84
Meridian	45 12 39.08	67 16 30.22	243 31 01	COOKSON'S ISLAND	45 35 40	5661.0	6212.6	3.53
Eye	45 07 21.00	67 09 24.24	280 48 33 243 31 01	Lane	100 59 42	7787.6	8516.3	4.84
Plaster Mill, chimney	45 07 23.45	67 08 32.33	10 42 23 275 31 12	COOKSON'S ISLAND	63 36 39	11607.6	12693.7	7.21
Chamcook Church	45 08 02.24	67 06 16.91	269 30 23 12 16 15	Todd	190 41 46	6175.1	6752.9	3.84
Bayside school-house	45 08 54.80	67 07 19.35	319 44 59 32 08 49	COOKSON'S ISLAND	95 36 13	9286.6	10155.5	5.77
De Monts Island	45 07 43.08	67 07 40.29	206 54 48 293 06 28	CHAMCOOK	89 44 55	26883.9	29399.5	16.71
Plaster Point, flag	45 10 29.20	67 09 22.41	310 17 23	COOPER	192 14 28	15513.7	16965.3	9.64
Chick's house, chimney	45 09 23.41	67 10 27.29	319 08 06 310 17 23	CHAMCOOK	139 51 22	18288.9	20000.2	11.36
Raven's Head, flag	45 10 04.39	67 10 17.99	348 12 19 180 57 11	COOPER	211 58 54	34579.5	37615.1	21.49
			197 38 13 268 00 51	ST. DAVID	26 56 49	8209.5	8977.7	5.10
			34 42 57 118 05 19	CHAMCOOK	113 14 52	16896.7	18477.7	10.50
			307 01 40 101 13 41	Lane	139 10 49	7660.5	8377.2	4.76
			141 06 22 19 47 36	Sinclair	130 19 23	4852.5	5306.5	3.01
			359 35 22 161 57 17	SHORTLAND	168 12 43	3641.8	3982.6	2.26
			124 30 36 255 56 24	DEVIL'S HEAD	0 57 13	3425.5	3746.0	2.13
			176 16 28 71 52 57	TABLE TOP	17 39 02	4936.1	5398.0	3.07
				CHAMCOOK 2	88 03 36	5101.7	5579.1	3.17
				SHORTLAND	214 41 08	5884.7	6435.3	3.66
				DEVIL'S HEAD	298 03 08	4573.2	5001.1	2.84
				CHAMCOOK 2	127 03 34	4389.1	4799.8	2.73
				DEVIL'S HEAD	281 12 15	2722.5	2977.2	1.69
				DEVIL'S HEAD	321 05 10	3525.1	3855.0	2.19
				SHORTLAND	199 46 47	4513.2	4935.5	2.80
				DEVIL'S HEAD	179 35 23	2387.4	2610.8	1.48
				COOKSON'S ISLAND	341 56 26	5094.2	5570.9	3.17
				Sinclair	304 28 19	5122.7	5602.1	3.18
				TABLE TOP	75 58 34	4129.6	4516.0	2.57
				COOKSON'S ISLAND	356 16 16	5624.2	6150.5	3.49
				Lane	251 51 16	3279.5	3586.4	2.04

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF GEOGRAPHICAL POSITIONS—Continued.

Section I.—St. Croix River, Me.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Banforth's house, chimney at east end.	45 13 42.44	67 12 51.53	290 31 58 331 13 31	Cookson's Island.....	110 33 35 151 16 00	3146.5 7523.6	3484.7 8227.5	1.98 4.67
Smart's Mountain, flag.....	45 12 02.34	67 08 55.46	46 33 15 132 18 47	Lane.....	226 30 35	6775.7	7409.7	4.21
Whidden's derrick.....	45 09 53.57	67 11 41.22	127 04 35 269 15 09	Cookson's Island.....	312 17 37	2929.0	3203.0	1.82
Breakwater, flag.....	45 10 08.03	67 12 04.90	126 05 33 273 28 19	Sinclair.....	307 03 10 89 18 12	3268.1 5620.7	3573.9 6146.7	2.03 3.49
Calais, Baptist church.....	45 11 15.63	67 16 18.26	304 06 36 157 55 43	Table Top.....	306 04 25 93 31 38	2586.9 6148.7	2828.9 6724.0	1.61 3.82
New Brunswick, St. Stephen's Church (English church.)	45 11 37.21	67 15 58.06	54 04 18 292 16 19	Lane.....	124 09 10 337 54 46	5737.9 4654.6	6274.8 5090.1	3.56 2.89
Birch, Two-hundred-foot Hill.....	45 09 22.57	67 14 07.93	191 29 49 261 54 28	Curtis.....	234 02 30 112 17 56	4123.3 3241.2	4509.1 3544.5	2.56 2.01
Frenchman's Bay, Me.				Sinclair.....	11 30 08 81 55 30	2986.8 1923.9	3266.2 2104.0	1.86 1.20
MOUNT DESERT.....	44 21 03.86	68 13 15.48		Lane.....				
TUCKER.....	44 31 08.01	68 10 39.90	10 28 09	Todd.....	190 26 20	18960.8	20735.0	11.78
Hadley's Point.....	44 26 18.29	68 18 43.86	230 03 09 323 08 31	Sinclair.....	50 08 48 143 12 21	13339.8 12123.4	15244.1 13257.8	8.66 7.53
Trenton Point.....	44 27 59.15	68 17 57.84	238 53 21 333 59 20	Table Top.....	58 58 28 154 02 38	11295.0 14258.4	12351.9 15592.6	7.02 8.86
Springer.....	44 32 02.02	68 17 19.09	280 40 14 6 31 05	Tucker.....	100 44 54 186 30 38	8969.9 7544.5	9809.2 8250.4	5.57 4.69
Crabtree.....	44 28 00.96	68 13 22.59	89 30 01 211 53 19	Trenton Point.....	269 26 49 31 55 13	6083.8 6000.3	6653.1 7436.6	3.78 4.23
Commons.....	44 29 04.83	68 16 19.32	47 03 06 243 04 38	Tucker.....	227 01 57 63 08 36	2974.7 8405.9	3253.0 9192.5	1.85 5.22
Bragdon.....	44 36 17.25	68 15 38.43	325 21 35 3 52 23	Tucker.....	145 25 05 183 51 54	11596.9 13376.9	12682.0 14628.5	7.21 8.31
McFarland.....	44 32 12.21	68 21 06.78	223 44 02 278 05 11	Commons.....	43 47 53 98 12 30	10472.5 13981.5	11452.4 15229.7	6.51 8.69
Higgins.....	44 23 19.08	68 21 47.09	210 22 21 216 13 05	Bragdon.....	30 25 01 36 15 13	10021.1 6857.2	10958.8 7498.9	6.23 4.26
Sands Point.....	44 26 14.67	68 15 38.72	222 31 07 136 22 10	Tucker.....	42 32 42 316 20 33	4451.8 4456.2	4868.4 4873.2	2.77 2.77
Bunker.....	44 27 28.11	68 19 42.56	328 55 58 292 46 47	Crabtree.....	148 56 39 112 49 38	2515.4 5848.1	2750.8 6395.3	1.56 3.63
Richards.....	44 26 22.96	68 18 34.60	195 18 23 273 44 54	Trenton Point.....	15 18 49 93 46 57	3078.0 3897.6	3366.0 4262.3	1.91 2.42
Goose Cove.....	44 26 05.24	68 22 13.32	265 00 32 232 29 03	Sands Point.....	85 02 50 52 30 48	4649.0 4201.1	5084.0 4594.2	2.89 2.61
Flag-staff on McFarland's Hill..	44 32 06.48	68 21 06.76	223 04 16 179 57 29	Hadley's Point.....	43 08 07 359 57 29	10600.9 176.8	11592.8 193.3	6.50 0.11
School-house at Trenton Point, cupola.	44 27 34.79	68 18 02.08	21 22 06 17 58 13	McFarland.....	201 21 37 197 57 50	2535.2 2330.6	2772.4 2548.7	1.58 1.45
Dead tree on Thomas Island...	44 26 06.97	68 20 13.67	260 00 45 88 51 42	Hadley's Point.....	80 01 48 268 50 18	2016.4 2646.1	2205.1 2893.7	1.25 1.64
West Trenton, Union Church..	44 26 13.03	68 23 41.26	14 55 14 268 33 21	Goose Cove.....	194 53 57 88 36 49	9516.5 6578.1	10406.9 7193.6	5.91 4.09
East Trenton, tall white spire..	44 28 42.32	68 20 17.10	335 07 02 11 17 25	Bartlett.....	155 08 07 191 16 22	4899.9 10172.9	5358.4 11124.8	3.04 6.32
Baptist church at Trenton Point, southwest spire.	44 28 01.47	68 18 53.88	356 01 08 352 00 57	Hadley's Point.....	176 01 15 172 01 11	3192.1 3070.0	3490.8 3357.3	1.98 1.91
W. Desiles' house, chimney....	44 27 11.84	68 16 44.87	251 14 43 58 07 54	Richards.....	71 17 05 238 06 37	4721.3 2856.6	5163.0 3123.9	2.93 1.77
House on Alley Island, north-east chimney.	44 24 23.65	68 22 57.03	17 51 36 322 09 37	Crabtree.....	267 50 23 142 10 26	2324.5 2523.0	2542.0 2759.1	1.44 1.57
Poplar tree.....	44 25 44.33	68 23 29.09	248 55 17 18 07 20	Higgins.....	68 56 10 198 05 54	1795.8 8743.6	1963.8 9561.7	1.12 5.43

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Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
W. F. Mosely's house, chimney.	44 29 37.98	68 16 28.73	185 08 33 165 37 45	Bragdon	5 09 08 345 57 10	12373.2 4582.6	13531.0 5011.3	7.69 2.85
Chimney of one-story white house.	44 29 33.74	68 18 11.73	141 41 45 194 15 03	McFarland	321 39 42	6234.2	6817.5	3.87
H. Merchant's barn, north gable	44 31 25.98	68 19 04.58	117 53 06 244 27 44	Springer	14 15 40	4721.8	5163.6	2.93
Crabtree's Neck, chimney of Baptist church.	44 29 55.91	68 15 00.74	47 45 38 117 31 47	McFarland	297 51 40	3052.2	3337.8	1.90
Wooster's house, south chimney.	44 29 00.11	68 14 19.78	18 52 29 68 40 41	Springer	64 28 58	2581.1	2822.6	1.60
D. Hodgkins' house, east chimney.	44 28 32.04	68 15 56.97	69 12 18 354 33 52	Commons	227 44 43	2345.0	2564.4	1.46
S. N. McFarland's house, chimney.	44 28 08.66	68 13 29.01	114 44 48 87 11 54	McFarland	297 27 30	9112.1	9964.7	5.66
<i>Blue Hill and Union River Bays, Me.</i>								
SWAN'S ISLAND	44 09 43.97	68 25 00.12		Sands Point	198 51 34	5396.0	5900.9	3.35
NASKEAG POINT	44 14 04.93	68 31 39.04	312 14 32	Trenton Point	248 39 08	5173.1	5657.2	3.21
Seal Cove	44 17 15.26	68 24 19.22	58 57 16 3 40 34	Trenton Point	249 10 53	2857.5	3124.9	1.78
Base Harbor	44 13 26.88	68 19 45.86	139 15 36 45 26 16	Sands Point	174 34 05	4258.8	4657.3	2.65
Great Duck Island	44 09 21.24	68 14 35 18	137 43 35 92 57 10	Commons	294 42 49	4143.6	4531.3	2.57
Bar Island	44 15 19.35	68 27 07.83	344 40 12 289 27 01	Trenton Point	267 08 46	5048.5	5505.1	3.70
Hopkins	44 19 20.58	68 28 54.57	20 32 28 302 23 47	Swan's Island	132 19 10	11971.7	13091.9	7.44
Bartlett	44 21 15.07	68 25 31.95	347 48 28 51 47 23	Naskeag Point	238 52 10	11375.2	12439.6	7.07
Carter	44 21 03.37	68 30 19.88	7 44 33 266 43 56	Swan's Island	183 40 06	13956.5	15262.4	8.67
Morgan	44 25 19.09	68 29 33.39	7 26 00 324 37 19	Seal Cove	319 12 25	9306.5	10177.3	5.78
Oak Point	44 24 20.85	68 24 42.04	105 36 59 10 54 29	Swan's Island	225 22 37	9798.7	10715.5	6.09
Haynes	44 24 48.93	68 25 37.50	100 08 28 358 55 52	Base Harbor	317 39 58	10250.0	11209.1	6.37
Smith	44 27 28.29	68 27 45.12	20 59 28 330 08 22	Swan's Island	272 49 54	13902.0	15202.8	8.64
Bluff Point	44 27 53.93	68 25 22.50	75 55 11 3 19 31	Swan's Island	164 41 41	10731.5	11735.6	6.67
Cunningham	44 21 27.65	68 36 31.76	232 18 26 275 09 37	Base Harbor	109 32 09	10401.9	11375.2	6.46
Wood	44 24 15.79	68 32 04.02	48 49 16 338 46 24	Naskeag Point	200 30 33	10401.5	11374.7	6.46
Herriman's Point	44 17 59.78	68 31 40.67	277 57 37 235 51 58	Seal Cove	122 26 50	7213.6	7888.5	4.48
Chimney of Welsh's house on Gott's Island.	44 11 58.26	68 19 35.58	305 57 45 175 13 38	Seal Cove	167 49 18	7573.2	8281.8	4.71
Dead tree on western point of Base Harbor.	44 13 40.57	68 21 30.41	32 32 45 112 11 25	Hopkins	231 45 01	5712.5	6247.0	3.55
Captain Lohan's house, chimney.	44 15 38.77	68 22 49.80	314 54 38 84 02 35	Naskeag Point	187 43 38	13031.7	14251.1	8.10
Hardwood Island.	44 17 57.23	68 26 41.06	292 27 40 131 01 18	Bartlett	86 47 17	6386.4	6984.0	3.97
Old Congregationalist church, (Mount Desert.)	44 20 05.75	68 23 41.89	9 04 55 101 27 11	Carter	187 25 27	7959.1	8703.9	4.95
				Bartlett	144 40 08	9234.3	10098.3	5.74
				Morgan	285 33 35	6691.4	7317.5	4.16
				Bartlett	190 53 54	5839.3	6385.7	3.63
				Morgan	280 05 43	5300.5	5796.4	3.29
				Bartlett	178 55 56	6601.9	7219.7	4.10
				Morgan	210 58 12	4650.8	5086.0	2.89
				Haynes	150 09 52	5670.7	6201.3	3.52
				Smith	255 53 31	3250.4	3554.5	2.02
				Haynes	163 19 21	5719.6	6254.8	3.55
				Morgan	52 23 19	11694.8	12789.0	7.27
				Carter	95 13 57	8269.5	9043.3	5.14
				Cunningham	228 46 09	7877.2	8614.3	4.89
				Carter	158 47 37	6370.4	6966.4	3.96
				Seal Cove	98 02 45	9867.4	10790.7	6.13
				Hopkins	55 53 54	4445.2	4861.1	2.76
				Great Duck Island	126 01 14	8245.9	9017.5	5.12
				Base Harbor	355 13 31	2744.4	3001.2	1.71
				Swan's Island	212 30 19	8660.3	9470.6	5.38
				Bar Island	292 07 30	8033.0	8839.3	5.02
				Base Harbor	134 56 46	5763.9	6303.3	3.56
				Bar Island	263 59 35	5754.4	6292.8	3.57
				Seal Cove	112 29 19	3388.0	3705.0	2.10
				Hopkins	310 59 45	3920.6	4287.5	2.44
				Seal Cove	189 04 29	5328.3	5826.9	3.31
				Carter	281 22 33	8993.6	9835.1	5.59

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Section I.—Blue Hill and Union River Bays, Me.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	<i>Meters.</i>	<i>Yards.</i>	<i>Miles.</i>
House on Tinker's Island, north chimney.	44 16 29.61	68 28 44.65	165 58 53 256 28 49	Carter	345 57 47	8710.1	9325.1	5.41
House on Tinker's Island, east chimney.	44 15 59.26	68 28 04.06	169 47 23 53 31 37	Seal Cove.....	76 31 54	6038.1	6603.1	3.75
Barn on Ship Island, northeast gable.	44 14 05.49	68 26 07.90	89 54 09 202 06 57	Hopkins	349 46 48	6313.2	6903.9	3.92
Flag-staff on Fly's Point.....	44 16 05.24	68 31 37.41	283 18 07 210 53 36	Naskeag Point.....	233 29 07	5932.2	6487.3	3.69
Chimney of white house with red end.	44 19 30.96	68 33 52.63	313 53 19 272 44 57	Naskeag Point.....	969 50 18	7363.3	8052.3	4.56
S. Candage's house, south chimney.	44 21 25.71	68 32 37.79	282 43 37 158 52 16	Seal Cove.....	22 08 12	6322.5	6914.1	3.93
North chimney of white house at Blue Hill Falls.	44 22 12.93	68 33 08.89	299 49 45 200 43 45	Bar Island.....	103 21 15	6144.6	6719.5	3.82
G. J. Wood's house, west chimney.	44 24 12.29	68 32 01.29	338 56 03 129 27 43	Hopkins	30 55 30	7026.5	7684.0	4.37
West chimney of red house on Oak Point.	44 23 57.69	68 25 13.53	4 38 36 113 38 01	Herriman's Point.....	133 54 51	4058.5	4438.3	2.52
East chimney of house on Newbury Neck.	44 22 54.72	68 27 40.53	13 56 11 217 39 25	Hopkins	92 48 25	6611.5	7220.1	4.11
Union Church on Newbury Neck	44 24 27.68	68 27 25.31	119 16 01 203 05 33	Carter	102 45 13	3129.3	3422.1	1.94
South chimney of white house on Newbury Neck.	44 26 47.12	68 27 31.84	325 15 25 234 10 59	Blue Hill	338 50 32	9125.5	9979.4	5.67
Chimney of Methodist church, Surry.	44 27 28.68	68 27 51.44	328 59 32 256 39 39	Carter	119 51 43	4314.3	4718.0	2.68
East chimney of white house, Patten's Bay.	44 29 31.59	68 27 14.60	10 03 21 320 34 25	Wood.....	20 44 30	4054.4	4433.8	2.52
Marked tree on Weymouth Point.	44 28 58.08	68 25 55.04	41 17 24 340 02 02	Carter	158 57 14	6248.2	6822.9	3.88
White house, chimney.....	44 29 39.85	68 24 51.04	43 28 12 12 00 25	Blue Hill	309 25 33	5303.9	5800.2	3.30
Fish-house, north gable	44 23 02.38	68 30 00.49	299 05 49 129 15 34	Bartlett.....	184 38 23	5035.8	5507.0	3.13
Congregationalist church spire at Blue Hill.	44 24 40.03	68 35 09.65	280 18 17 316 10 06	Morgan.....	293 34 59	6274.0	6861.1	3.90
<i>Isle au Haut Bay, Me.</i>								
Isle au Haut	44 04 01.90	68 36 42.51		Hopkins	193 55 19	6809.8	7447.0	4.23
Fox Rocks.....	44 06 26.90	68 52 21.53	282 00 03	Haynes.....	37 40 51	4454.1	4870.9	2.77
Burnt Cove.....	44 09 18.59	68 40 50.78	71 01 36 330 31 09	Bluff Point.....	299 14 31	3247.4	3551.3	2.02
Coombs Hill.....	44 05 17.38	68 46 51.64	279 41 35 227 06 19	Bluff Point.....	23 06 59	6921.0	7568.6	4.30
Leadbetter's Island.....	44 04 45.19	68 54 00.08	59 23 01 214 54 43	Haynes	145 16 45	4438.4	4853.7	2.76
Sands	44 02 52.59	68 50 11.32	70 04 25 124 20 15	Bluff Point.....	54 12 30	3525.4	3855.3	2.19
Isle au Haut Mount	44 03 45.39	68 50 08.21	236 59 31 52 29 44	Haynes	149 01 06	5751.6	6289.7	3.57
Hay Island	44 00 54.69	68 47 16.71	183 55 59 105 59 42	Bluff Point.....	76 41 23	3383.1	3699.7	2.10
Starboard Rock.....	44 05 38.48	68 49 01.91	282 39 11 22 55 05	Smith.....	190 03 00	3264.8	4266.4	2.40
White Island.....	44 02 36.89	68 54 20.00	299 26 58 126 23 05	Bluff Point.....	140 35 44	3901.3	4266.3	2.42
Barley Hill, flag.....	44 04 07.85	68 46 36.78	171 14 13 8 29 00	Smith.....	221 16 07	3687.7	4032.7	2.29
Sheep Island, flag	44 02 19.33	68 47 08.49	183 53 55 4 00 22	Bluff Point.....	160 02 25	2106.4	2303.5	1.31
				Smith.....	223 26 10	5593.4	6116.7	3.48
				Bluff Point.....	192 00 03	3342.0	3654.7	2.08
				Bartlett.....	119 08 57	6805.9	7442.8	4.23
				Blue Hill.....	309 12 00	8739.4	9557.2	5.43
				Wood.....	100 20 27	4173.5	4564.0	2.59
				Carter.....	136 13 29	9264.8	10131.6	5.76
				Isle au Haut	102 10 56	21361.7	23360.5	13.27
				Fox Rocks	250 53 35	16242.3	17762.1	10.09
				Isle au Haut	150 33 53	11224.8	12275.1	6.97
				Isle au Haut	99 48 39	13750.5	15037.1	8.54
				Burnt Cove	47 10 31	10944.1	11968.2	6.80
				High Island.....	239 16 35	14367.1	15711.5	8.93
				Fox Rocks	34 55 51	3228.5	4126.7	2.38
				Hurricane Island	250 02 24	4141.5	4529.0	2.57
				Leadbetters Island.....	304 17 36	6163.3	6740.0	3.83
				Coombs Hill	57 01 48	5214.0	5701.9	3.24
				Hurricane Island.....	232 27 40	4994.9	5462.3	3.10
				Coombs Hill	3 56 16	8126.0	8886.4	5.05
				Hurricane Island.....	285 55 39	8094.0	8851.4	5.03
				Coombs Hill	102 40 42	2969.8	3247.7	1.85
				Isle au Haut Mount.....	202 54 19	3789.0	4143.5	2.35
				Hurricane Island	119 27 49	1886.9	2063.4	1.17
				Leadbetters Island.....	6 23 19	4356.8	4743.8	2.47
				Coombs Hill	351 14 03	2171.1	2374.2	1.35
				Hay Island.....	188 28 32	6026.9	6590.8	3.74
				Coombs Hill	3 54 07	5507.6	6022.9	3.42
				Hay Island.....	184 00 16	2618.4	2863.4	1.63

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Carver's Harbor, church-spire ..	44 02 53.49	68 49 29.43	151 40 39 321 07 12	Isle au Haut Mount .. Hay Island ..	331 40 12 141 08 44	1819.3 4708.9	1969.6 5149.5	1.13 2.93
Basin ..	44 04 29.65	68 52 20.58	102 14 31 316 08 50	Leadbetter's Island .. Sands ..	282 13 22 136 10 20	2264.9 4152.9	2476.9 4541.5	1.41 2.58
Captain Lane's house, south chimney.	44 02 18.52	68 49 45.06	151 29 14 128 39 48	Sands .. Leadbetter's Island ..	331 28 56 308 36 51	1196.7 7248.5	1306.6 7926.7	0.74 4.50
Dog Point ..	44 03 13.49	68 51 59.90	136 38 03 284 56 07	Leadbetter's Island .. Sands ..	316 36 39 104 57 23	3893.5 2501.2	4257.8 2735.2	2.42 1.55
Spruce Island ..	44 06 14.91	68 36 00.12	69 20 43 6 53 17	Coombs Hill .. Isle au Haut ..	249 13 09 186 52 47	15847.7 7864.9	17330.5 8600.9	9.85 4.89
Duck Harbor Mount ..	44 01 22.07	68 38 37.19	123 28 06 207 21 05	Coombs Hill .. Isle au Haut ..	303 22 22 27 22 25	13184.6 5554.1	14418.3 6073.8	8.19 3.45
Great Spoon Island ..	44 02 35.47	68 33 11.30	160 17 48 72 41 39	Spruce Island .. Duck Harbor Mount ..	340 15 51 252 37 52	11128.4 7601.2	12169.7 8312.6	6.91 4.72
Kimball's Island ..	44 04 23.21	68 39 44.82	344 55 47 170 52 15	Duck Harbor Mount .. Burnt Cove ..	164 56 34 350 51 29	5788.9 9233.0	6330.5 10096.9	3.60 5.74
Trial Point, flag ..	44 03 24.77	68 38 37.86	359 47 15 164 52 30	Duck Harbor Mount .. Burnt Cove ..	179 47 15 344 50 48	3787.1 11312.6	4141.5 12371.1	2.35 7.03
West Ear Island, flag ..	44 00 12.97	68 38 59.20	203 17 23 192 56 58	Isle au Haut .. Duck Harbor Mount ..	23 18 58 12 57 13	7692.4 2188.2	8412.2 2393.0	4.78 1.36
East Head, flag ..	44 00 50.63	68 36 36.00	234 36 45 109 47 36	Great Spoon Island .. Duck Harbor Mount ..	54 39 07 289 46 12	5589.2 2868.3	6112.2 3136.7	3.47 1.78
Isle au Haut, church-spire ..	44 04 24.50	68 37 42.63	155 16 21 197 45 50	Burnt Cove .. Spruce Island ..	335 14 10 17 47 01	9993.9 7467.4	10929.1 8166.1	6.21 4.64
Merchant's Island, flag ..	44 06 11.19	68 38 24.79	330 17 53 150 43 10	Isle au Haut .. Burnt Cove ..	150 19 04 330 41 28	4593.3 6631.6	5023.1 7252.1	2.85 4.12
Thurlow's Island, flag ..	44 06 23.14	68 39 51.62	332 26 04 142 28 05	Isle au Haut .. Burnt Cove ..	152 28 16 322 27 24	9093.1 2157.9	9943.9 2359.8	5.65 1.34
Russ Island ..	44 09 02.45	68 38 17.48	98 20 22 295 39 32	Burnt Cove .. Spruce Island ..	278 18 35 115 41 08	3442.8 3387.0	3765.0 3704.0	2.14 2.10
St. Helena Island ..	44 07 56.96	68 38 24.09	342 41 35 260 10 04	Isle au Haut .. Spruce Island ..	162 42 46 80 11 44	7597.7 3247.7	8308.6 3551.6	4.72 2.02
McGlanthry's Island, flag ..	44 07 19.08	68 36 41.71	208 13 03 0 10 08	Spruce Island .. Isle au Haut ..	28 13 32 180 10 07	1655.1 6085.3	2136.1 6654.7	1.22 3.78
Mark Island, flag ..	44 07 12.21	68 33 50.39	31 42 58 352 51 27	Isle au Haut .. Great Spoon Island ..	211 41 04 172 52 00	6003.5 8607.5	7549.4 9412.9	4.29 5.35
Fog Island, flag ..	44 06 01.38	68 34 14.07	150 14 23 347 36 00	Spruce Island .. Great Spoon Island ..	330 13 09 167 36 44	4747.9 6506.6	5192.1 7115.4	2.95 4.04
York Island ..	44 04 10.73	68 34 52.60	168 44 21 322 30 35	Spruce Island .. Great Spoon Island ..	348 43 34 142 31 45	7683.9 3704.8	8402.9 4051.4	4.77 2.30
<i>Penobscot River, Me.</i>								
Cobb's Hill ..	44 38 52.47	68 48 15.78						
TREVETT ..	44 39 03.30	68 50 51.38	275 33 35	Cobb's Hill ..	95 35 24	3444.7	3767.0	2.14
Stubb's Hill ..	44 40 46.02	68 47 32.56	15 11 55 54 07 08	Cobb's Hill .. Trevett ..	195 11 25 234 04 48	3631.8 5406.3	3971.7 5912.2	2.26 3.36
Baker ..	44 41 23.48	68 50 16.21	330 20 38 287 46 23	Cobb's Hill .. Stubb's Hill ..	150 22 03 107 48 18	5302.9 3784.3	5664.7 4138.4	3.33 2.35
Bald Hill ..	44 41 45.88	68 49 25.52	343 58 40 58 14 07	Cobb's Hill .. Baker ..	163 59 29 238 13 31	5568.3 1312.7	6089.3 1435.6	3.46 0.82
Hampden ..	44 43 25.43	68 50 15.24	0 19 31 323 56 10	Baker .. Stubb's Hill ..	180 19 30 143 58 05	3764.0 6085.3	4116.2 6654.7	2.34 3.78
Orrington ..	44 43 37.74	68 48 33.52	80 22 17 28 37 05	Hampden .. Baker ..	260 21 05 208 35 52	2270.3 4720.3	2482.7 5161.9	1.41 2.93
Academy ..	44 44 22.86	68 49 50.83	16 51 31 309 17 57	Hampden .. Orrington ..	186 51 14 129 18 52	1852.1 2198.1	2025.4 2403.8	1.15 1.37
Nichols ..	44 44 48.94	68 48 11.54	69 46 36 12 24 46	Academy .. Orrington ..	249 45 26 192 24 31	2327.7 2250.0	2545.5 2460.5	1.45 1.40
Stewart ..	44 45 54.22	68 48 15.86	36 32 08 357 17 50	Academy .. Nichols ..	216 31 01 177 17 53	3509.1 2017.1	3837.5 2205.9	2.18 1.25

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Doane.....	44 45 14.80	68 47 02.38	126 59 04 62 19 03	Stewart..... Nichols.....	306 58 12 242 18 14	2022.7 1717.8	2212.0 1878.5	1.26 1.07
Horseback.....	44 46 02.69	68 47 15.17	78 55 02 349 13 48	Stewart..... Doane.....	258 54 19 169 13 57	1360.0 1504.7	1487.2 1645.4	0.65 0.94
High Head.....	44 47 08.03	68 46 17.04	48 46 32 15 43 28	Stewart..... Doane.....	228 45 09 195 42 57	3456.2 3630.7	3779.6 3970.5	2.15 2.26
Chamberlin.....	44 48 00.65	68 45 07.05	46 47 01 26 21 38	Stewart..... Doane.....	226 44 48 206 20 17	5696.8 5712.4	6229.8 6246.9	3.54 3.55
Hinks.....	44 46 35.00	68 45 25.45	188 41 47 71 26 44	Chamberlin..... Stewart.....	8 42 00 251 24 44	2674.2 3952.5	2924.4 4322.3	1.66 2.46
Fort Knox.....	44 33 55.75	68 47 48.26	325 18 41 216 07 13	McClouds..... Bucksport.....	145 19 20 36 07 48	2137.6 1871.2	2337.6 2046.3	1.33 1.16
Parker's Point.....	44 38 56.60	68 49 25.11	274 45 48 216 16 04	Cobb's Hill..... Stubb's Hill.....	94 46 37 36 17 23	1532.8 4129.5	1676.3 4581.5	0.95 2.60
John Bolian's house, chimney...	44 39 44.41	68 49 21.02	57 29 50 318 07 10	Trevett..... Cobb's Hill.....	237 28 47 138 07 56	2360.6 2153.4	2581.5 2354.9	1.47 1.34
Oak Point.....	44 40 11.06	68 48 37.74	54 37 29 348 42 54	Trevett..... Cobb's Hill.....	234 35 55 168 43 09	3610.9 2473.6	3948.8 2705.0	2.24 1.54
Herr's Hill.....	44 40 43.20	68 49 48.69	173 20 40 154 00 56	Hampden..... Baker.....	353 20 21 334 00 37	5041.3 1383.2	5513.0 1512.6	3.13 0.86
Bragdon's Castle.....	44 43 15.14	68 49 48.00	117 55 42 246 55 58	Hampden..... Orrington.....	297 55 23 66 56 51	741.8 1781.3	741.8 1948.0	0.42 1.11
East Bluff, white flag in tree....	44 42 44.68	68 49 48.70	13 35 15 225 16 45	Baker..... Orrington.....	193 34 55 45 17 38	2578.8 2327.9	2820.1 2545.7	1.60 1.45
Sandy Head.....	44 41 52.39	68 50 01.34	210 43 09 173 55 24	Orrington..... Hampden.....	30 44 11 353 55 14	3783.0 2888.0	4137.0 3158.2	2.35 1.79
Hampden, dome of belfry with clock-face.	44 43 56.36	68 50 18.78	283 55 33 239 53 07	Orrington..... Nichols.....	103 56 47 59 54 36	2386.2 3235.5	2609.5 3538.2	1.48 2.01
Hampden, Congregationalist church.	44 44 46.98	68 49 50.62	321 33 13 268 23 39	Orrington..... Nichols.....	141 34 08 88 24 49	2728.4 2180.0	2923.7 2384.0	1.70 1.35
Crosby's Narrows, flag in tree...	44 45 06.09	68 48 44.37	263 09 29 228 18 26	Doane..... Horseback.....	83 10 41 48 19 29	2259.2 2626.6	2470.6 2872.4	1.40 1.63
Mayhew's steam saw-mill, chimney.	44 45 33.52	68 47 43.18	214 22 35 131 38 30	Horseback..... Stewart.....	34 22 55 311 38 07	1091.0 961.5	1193.1 1051.4	0.68 0.60
Edmonds' steam saw-mill, chimney.	44 46 28.12	68 46 56.32	263 55 13 220 03 17	Hinks..... Chamberlin.....	83 56 17 40 04 34	2008.9 3731.8	2196.8 4081.0	1.25 2.32
South Brewer.....	44 46 18.93	68 46 19.33	67 48 14 25 34 04	Horseback..... Doane.....	247 47 35 205 33 34	1326.1 2194.1	1450.2 2399.4	0.82 1.36
Brewer belfry.....	44 47 44.58	68 45 35.53	354 06 35 231 36 37	Hinks..... Chamberlin.....	174 06 42 51 36 57	2159.0 798.4	2361.0 873.1	1.34 0.50
Brewer flag-staff.....	44 47 29.94	68 45 13.52	53 37 31 8 47 40	Stewart..... Hinks.....	233 35 22 188 47 31	4979.8 1715.9	5445.7 1876.5	3.09 1.07
Bangor, Unitarian church spire.	44 47 54.95	68 46 03.98	341 03 07 261 59 37	Hinks..... Chamberlin.....	161 03 34 82 00 17	2608.9 1263.4	2853.0 1381.6	1.62 0.79
Cupola of house on Thomas Hill.	44 48 23.90	68 46 38.12	334 34 44 289 43 21	Hinks..... Chamberlin.....	154 35 35 109 44 25	3721.3 2125.8	4069.5 2324.7	2.31 1.32
<i>Muscongus Bay, Me.</i>								
DAVIS.....	43 54 31.33	69 22 40.31						
MUSCONGUS.....	43 58 41.63	69 26 23.46	327 11 32	Davis.....	147 14 07	9189.2	10049.1	5.71
Carver's Island.....	43 56 55.96	69 19 12.51	46 06 13 108 48 10	Davis..... Muscongus.....	226 03 49 288 43 11	6433.6 10145.2	7035.6 11094.5	4.00 6.30
Hatchet Hill.....	43 58 23.27	69 21 01.18	318 02 00 17 10 24	Carver's Island..... Davis.....	138 03 15 197 09 15	3623.1 7490.4	3962.1 8191.2	2.25 4.65
Medumcook Hill.....	43 58 30.45	69 19 03.83	33 12 55 3 48 01	Davis..... Carver's Island.....	213 10 25 183 47 55	8817.3 2922.0	9642.4 3195.4	5.48 1.82
Cow Island, flag.....	43 57 40.47	69 23 11.19	245 29 02 353 16 02	Hatchet Hill..... Davis.....	65 30 30 173 16 23	3184.6 5876.5	3482.6 6426.4	1.98 3.65
Long Island.....	43 57 42.63	69 20 04.20	321 19 46 134 39 00	Carver's Island..... Hatchet Hill.....	141 20 22 314 38 20	1844.4 1784.8	2017.0 1951.8	1.15 1.11

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Martin's Point, flag.....	43 57 57.68	69 21 40.83	228 13 01 253 52 05	Hatchet Hill..... Medumcook Hill.....	48 13 29 73 53 54	1185.1 3642.2	1286.0 3983.1	0.74 2.26
Long Island, flag.....	43 57 05.69	69 20 26.92	280 14 48 162 18 54	Carver's Island..... Hatchet Hill.....	100 15 40 342 18 30	1685.8 2513.2	1843.5 2748.4	1.05 1.56
White house, chimney.....	43 57 17.77	69 20 08.38	212 40 32 186 54 51	Medumcook Hill..... Long Island.....	32 41 17 6 54 54	2664.5 772.9	2913.8 845.2	1.66 0.48
Chimney of red house on Long Island.	43 57 19.32	69 19 55.35	207 36 51 164 39 14	Medumcook Hill..... Long Island.....	27 37 27 344 39 08	2477.2 746.0	2709.0 815.8	1.54 0.46
Chimney of white house east of Long Island Station.	43 57 37.66	69 19 56.09	322 56 52 134 08 30	Carver's Island..... Hatchet Hill.....	142 57 22 314 07 45	1612.3 2021.5	1763.1 2210.6	1.00 1.26
Cupola of white house.....	43 58 51.92	69 19 48.61	9 13 48 167 19 37	Long Island..... Carver's Island.....	189 13 35 167 20 02	2167.1 3668.3	2369.9 4011.6	1.35 2.28
One-story white house, chimney.	43 58 36.70	69 19 41.30	348 20 20 17 00 29	Carver's Island..... Long Island.....	168 20 40 197 00 13	3174.8 1745.5	3471.8 1908.8	1.97 1.08
Hornbeam Hill.....	43 58 39.22	69 17 38.90	83 46 28 33 14 54	Hatchet Hill..... Carver's Island.....	263 44 08 213 13 49	4537.9 3811.2	4962.5 4167.8	2.82 2.37
Chimney of white house east of cove.	43 57 50.65	69 18 08.81	40 05 02 135 02 21	Carver's Island..... Medumcook Hill.....	220 04 18 315 01 43	2205.8 1735.2	2412.2 1897.6	1.37 1.08
Chimney of red house on Burton's Island.	43 56 49.27	69 18 25.81	101 13 48 164 49 01	Carver's Island..... Medumcook Hill.....	281 13 16 344 48 35	1061.5 3235.2	1160.8 3537.9	0.66 2.01
Carver's Island, flag in tree.....	43 56 55.94	69 19 11.14	91 03 31 183 11 52	Carver's Island..... Medumcook Hill.....	271 03 30 3 11 57	30.6 2920.9	33.5 3194.2	0.02 1.81
Chimney of white house on northwest point.	43 57 42.44	69 20 22.90	269 09 29 145 54 16	Long Island..... Hatchet Hill.....	89 09 42 325 53 49	416.8 1521.7	455.8 1664.1	0.26 0.95
Old red house, chimney.....	43 58 33.51	69 21 18.58	271 47 34 309 11 01	Medumcook Hill..... Hatchet Hill.....	91 49 08 129 11 13	3004.6 500.2	3285.7 547.0	1.87 0.31
Chimney of white house on west shore of Hatchet Cove.	43 58 48.07	69 21 03.32	326 52 15 356 25 36	Long Island..... Hatchet Hill.....	146 52 56 176 25 37	2411.2 766.6	2636.8 838.3	1.50 0.48
Brick house, east chimney.....	43 58 20.45	69 20 07.42	257 43 00 356 29 05	Medumcook Hill..... Long Island.....	77 43 44 176 29 07	1450.5 1169.3	1586.2 1278.7	0.90 0.73
Chimney of red house, north of cove.	43 58 53.61	69 19 02.40	2 32 37 32 10 02	Medumcook Hill..... Long Island.....	182 32 36 212 09 19	715.0 2587.7	781.9 2829.8	0.44 1.61
<i>Pemmaquid Shore, Me.</i>								
GULL.....	43 52 39.17	69 24 37.35	217 01 29	Davis.....	37 02 50	4336.9	4742.7	2.69
Brown's Head.....	43 54 09.97	69 27 15.29	263 49 50 308 27 54	Davis..... Gull.....	83 53 01 128 29 44	6171.0 4502.6	6748.4 4923.9	3.83 2.80
Yellow Head.....	43 51 25.73	69 29 17.30	220 36 55 250 02 10	Hatchet Hill..... Gull.....	40 42 39 70 05 24	16987.2 6647.0	18576.7 7269.0	10.55 4.13
Lookout Hill.....	43 52 19.11	69 29 35.32	246 10 39 264 38 56	Davis..... Gull.....	66 15 27 84 42 23	10121.7 6680.3	11068.8 7305.3	6.29 4.15
Thomas McFarland's house, chimney.	43 52 05.57	69 29 07.42	123 51 48 242 27 09	Lookout Hill..... Davis.....	303 51 29 62 31 37	750.0 9741.3	820.2 10652.8	0.47 6.05
Little Island, flag.....	43 52 12.79	69 28 40.82	207 49 09 241 58 25	Brown's Head..... Davis.....	27 50 08 62 02 35	4089.1 9111.9	4471.8 9964.5	2.54 5.66
Long Cove, west entrance.....	43 52 09.66	69 28 08.00	212 16 57 250 56 31	Brown's Head..... Davis.....	32 17 34 71 00 18	2201.8 7735.0	2407.9 8458.8	1.37 4.81
Brown's Head, flag in tree.....	43 54 10.94	69 27 15.94	308 38 46 334 02 53	Gull..... Brown's Head.....	128 40 36 154 02 53	4532.5 33.2	4956.6 36.3	2.82 0.02
Flag on high hill west of Brown's Head.	43 54 12.37	69 27 37.34	228 43 29 305 34 05	Hatchet Hill..... Gull.....	48 48 04 125 36 10	11750.4 4937.0	12849.8 5399.0	7.30 3.07
<i>Medomac River, Me.</i>								
HUNGRY.....	44 00 21.06	69 21 57.80						
STAHL.....	44 02 44.29	69 22 13.17	355 34 15	Hungry.....	175 34 26	4433.6	4848.4	2.76
BREMEN.....	44 01 44.88	69 22 18.78	349 45 23	Hungry.....	169 45 38	2628.2	2874.2	1.63
South Waldoboro.....	44 02 15.15	69 19 31.92	42 42 30 104 04 48	Hungry..... Stahl.....	222 40 49 284 02 56	4790.7 3700.5	5239.0 4046.7	2.98 2.30
Miller's Island.....	44 01 06.90	69 22 48.44	209 24 33 321 26 02	Bremen..... Hungry.....	29 24 54 141 26 37	1344.8 1809.4	1470.6 1978.7	0.84 1.12

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Harris	44 00 30.08	69 23 16.04	208 55 02 208 24 40	Bremen	28 55 42	2636.7	2833.4	1.64
				Miller's Island	28 24 59	1292.0	1412.9	0.80
Heath	44 01 13.55	69 23 38.63	305 48 04 280 23 48	Hungry	125 49 14	2769.0	3028.0	1.72
				Miller's Island	100 24 23	1136.5	1242.8	0.71
Eastern Branch	44 01 56.49	69 23 27.12	325 57 37 330 37 18	Hungry	145 58 39	3553.8	3886.4	2.21
				Miller's Island	150 37 45	1756.2	1920.5	1.09
Brimstone Hill	44 03 08.78	69 19 39.77	77 31 33 53 49 52	Stahl	257 29 46	3497.3	3824.6	2.17
				Bremen	233 48 01	4385.9	4796.3	2.73
Lower Hungry	43 59 53.65	69 22 01.92	217 23 50 124 15 17	South Waldoboro	37 25 34	5498.5	6013.0	3.42
				Harris	304 14 25	1997.2	2184.1	1.24
Delno's Hill, flag in tree	44 00 15.61	69 20 48.83	97 46 17 96 15 30	Harris	277 44 35	3309.4	3619.1	2.06
				Hungry	276 14 42	1545.4	1690.0	0.96
Upper Long Island, flag in tree	43 59 59.78	69 22 48.47	180 01 19 146 42 41	Miller's Island	0 01 19	2071.5	2265.3	1.29
				Harris	336 42 22	1118.7	1223.4	0.69
Bickmore's house, center chimney	44 01 01.85	69 22 11.99	100 52 10 173 29 57	Miller's Island	280 51 45	826.6	903.9	0.51
				Bremen	353 29 52	1335.8	1460.7	0.83
Bickmore's barn, south apex	44 00 58.15	69 22 14.74	104 17 22 138 10 44	Heath	284 16 24	1927.7	2108.1	1.20
				Eastern Branch	318 09 54	2416.5	2642.6	1.50
Heath House, west chimney	44 00 58.17	69 23 40.98	231 47 23 257 00 52	Bremen	51 48 20	2329.8	2547.8	1.45
				Miller's Island	77 01 28	1200.5	1312.8	0.75
Havener House, center chimney	44 01 35.44	69 22 46.42	59 51 47 244 43 23	Heath	239 51 11	1344.4	1470.2	0.84
				Bremen	64 43 42	680.6	744.3	0.42
Bright-yellow house	44 01 34.10	69 24 39.49	246 46 43 288 44 06	Eastern Branch	66 47 33	1753.2	1917.2	1.09
				Miller's Island	108 45 23	2611.6	2855.9	1.62
Old House, center chimney	44 01 47.57	69 24 43.04	296 10 33 260 44 30	Miller's Island	116 11 53	2844.0	3110.1	1.77
				Eastern Branch	80 45 23	1712.6	1872.8	1.06
Meeting-house, cupola	44 02 24.41	69 24 33.18	315 42 45 317 43 08	Miller's Island	135 43 58	3340.5	3653.0	2.08
				Hungry	137 44 56	5144.4	5625.7	3.20
Howard's red store, center chimney	44 01 59.88	69 24 03.68	277 18 29 317 24 04	Eastern Branch	97 18 54	820.6	897.4	0.51
				Hungry	137 25 31	4142.5	4530.1	2.57
Red House, center chimney	44 02 04.57	69 23 42.47	306 09 46 356 52 21	Eastern Branch	126 09 57	422.8	462.4	0.26
				Heath	176 52 24	1576.6	1724.1	0.98
Long House, center chimney	44 02 39.97	69 23 22.22	7 47 41 4 39 07	Heath	187 47 30	2692.4	2944.3	1.67
				Eastern Branch	184 39 04	1345.9	1471.9	0.84
Eastern Branch House, center chimney	44 02 02.33	69 22 47.37	37 10 30 78 29 55	Heath	217 09 54	1889.2	2066.0	1.17
				Eastern Branch	258 29 27	903.2	987.7	0.56
<i>Harpwell Sound, Me.</i>								
HARPSWELL SPIRE	43 47 58.33	69 58 51.42	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
BURNT LEDGE	43 47 55.99	69 49 44.73	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
YARMOUTH	43 46 56.63	69 54 27.00	253 47 02 107 52 53	Burnt Ledge	73 50 17	6570.7	7185.5	4.08
				Harpwell Spire	287 49 50	6210.0	6791.1	3.86
ORR	43 51 05.87	69 54 02.53	4 04 13 48 08 37	Yarmouth	184 03 56	7710.7	8432.2	4.79
				Harpwell Spire	228 05 17	8668.7	9479.8	5.39
Grover	43 50 01.89	69 53 08.38	310 28 15 17 05 26	Burnt Ledge	130 30 36	5983.7	6543.5	3.72
				Yarmouth	197 04 32	5981.2	6540.8	3.72
Butler	43 47 45.52	69 51 57.17	65 45 41 159 17 40	Yarmouth	245 43 57	3673.7	4017.4	2.28
				Grover	339 16 51	4499.0	4919.9	2.80
Burnt Ledge, Sullivan	43 47 51.80	69 50 07.98	73 38 21 134 53 58	Yarmouth	253 35 22	6035.6	6600.3	3.75
				Grover	314 51 53	5689.2	6221.6	3.54
Charles Orr	43 50 08.94	69 54 44.68	356 11 13 53 51 14	Yarmouth	176 11 25	5947.9	6504.4	3.70
				Harpwell Spire	233 48 23	6829.4	7468.4	4.24
Cranberry Ridge	43 51 27.52	69 55 18.49	291 29 25 342 41 54	Orr	111 30 18	1823.2	1993.8	1.13
				Charles Orr	162 42 17	2539.3	2776.9	1.58
McKinney	43 50 08.69	69 51 53.05	30 08 56 82 54 02	Yarmouth	210 07 09	6853.3	7494.6	4.26
				Grover	262 53 10	1695.8	1854.4	1.05
Three Islands	43 50 56.02	69 52 21.40	336 33 15 32 08 38	McKinney	156 33 35	1591.8	1740.8	0.99
				Grover	212 08 05	1972.5	2157.0	1.23
Rich's Mount	43 51 44.62	69 51 57.39	19 40 53 66 50 16	Three Islands	199 40 36	1592.7	1741.8	0.99
				Orr	246 48 49	3039.2	3323.6	1.89

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Basin	43 48 19.39	69 51 21.00	297 32 20 37 44 13	Burnt Ledge, Sullivan .. Butler	117 33 10 217 43 48	1840.7 1321.0	2013.0 1444.6	1.14 0.82
Dingley	43 49 10.26	69 53 34.94	207 25 20 154 52 51	McKinney	27 25 49	2031.8	2221.9	1.26
Sheep Island	43 48 07.16	69 52 37.97	306 12 09 48 14 33	Grover	334 52 28	1760.0	1924.7	1.09
Crooker	43 49 56.41	69 51 33.23	94 33 34 35 00 30	Butler	126 12 37	1130.2	1235.9	0.70
Yellow square house, chimney ..	43 49 44.77	69 53 12.29	207 30 05 335 28 07	Yarmouth	228 13 17	3267.7	3573.4	2.03
Bush Island, flag	43 49 11.96	69 51 11.41	191 00 05 120 32 23	Grover	274 32 28	2132.1	2331.6	1.33
Jenny's Nubble	43 49 29.90	69 51 41.66	63 01 03 168 00 14	Yarmouth	214 58 30	6771.1	7404.7	4.21
Birch Point, flag	43 49 33.03	69 51 53.03	179 58 15 1 36 03	Three Islands	97 30 40	2475.2	2706.8	1.54
McKinney's Hill, flag	43 50 31.22	69 51 51.35	138 45 49	Butler	155 28 59	4044.5	4422.9	2.51
Hotel Church, flag-staff	43 47 30.73	69 53 16.55	191 00 05 255 32 49	Grover	200 58 25	2856.5	3123.8	1.77
Flag in center of Long Island ..	43 49 58.63	69 52 24.85	351 26 21 190 36 57	Grover	300 31 02	3033.8	3317.7	1.88
Northwest end of Long Island, flag.	43 50 15.08	69 52 35.91	349 22 22 60 43 05	Dingley	243 00 26	1335.8	1460.7	0.83
Black flag at head of cove	43 50 17.62	69 53 30.70	314 13 31 11 28 20	McKinney	348 00 06	1223.9	1338.5	0.76
Chimney of red house, near Butler.	43 47 46.77	69 51 48.66	78 40 16 172 51 48	McKinney	359 58 15	1100.7	1203.7	0.68
West Bay	43 49 01.86	69 54 53.39	300 52 03 351 18 41	Butler	181 36 00	3318.9	3622.4	2.06
East Bay	43 49 48.45	69 53 40.72	11 02 23 48 29 30	Grover	242 15 00	1944.3	2126.2	1.21
Totman	43 49 38.54	69 54 47.75	312 30 39 354 47 18	Three Islands	318 45 28	1018.0	1113.2	0.63
Northwest point of Snow's Island.	43 48 59.75	69 54 22.47	95 23 39 211 49 56	Butler	11 00 43	6454.1	7058.0	4.01
Northeast point of Snow's Island.	43 49 04.06	69 54 10.31	85 57 57 205 46 13	Butler	75 33 44	1832.3	2003.7	1.14
East entrance of Orr's Cove	43 49 23.48	69 54 32.27	343 22 34 320 40 55	Butler	171 26 40	4154.2	4542.9	2.58
Northwest point of Ben's Island.	43 49 12.76	69 53 56.73	75 08 05 198 00 04	Rich's Mount	10 37 16	3328.3	3638.7	2.07
Head of Rich's Cove	43 49 41.08	69 53 45.04	16 38 53 26 18 38	Butler	169 22 49	4696.6	5136.0	2.92
South point of Small Island	43 49 21.71	69 53 59.57	347 05 38 23 47 15	Grover	240 42 43	831.7	909.6	0.52
East entrance of Mill Cove	43 49 24.02	69 54 19.25	48 09 11 5 28 52	Grover	134 13 46	695.8	760.9	0.43
East entrance of Rich's Cove	43 49 22.61	69 53 46.55	36 47 55 84 34 42	Yarmouth	191 27 41	6328.9	6921.1	3.93
Mill Cove	43 49 34.87	69 54 25.86	336 16 41 22 06 53	Butler	258 40 10	194.1	212.3	0.12
West chimney of unpainted house east of northeast of fish-house.	43 49 12.70	69 53 26.60	80 13 31 164 02 38	Three Islands	352 51 25	5885.9	6436.7	3.86
Totman, flag in tree	43 49 38.63	69 54 48.44	5 34 20 321 23 15	Butler	120 54 05	4588.5	5017.8	2.85
Buoy on sunken ledge	43 48 54.80	69 54 36.23	243 29 33 119 28 20	Yarmouth	171 18 59	3909.5	4275.3	2.43
Tree	43 49 05.67	69 54 46.90	273 27 53 288 32 33	Yarmouth	191 01 51	5402.3	5907.8	3.36
				West Bay	228 28 40	2168.4	2371.3	1.35
				Butler	132 32 37	5150.4	5642.2	3.21
				Yarmouth	174 47 32	5017.3	5486.8	3.12
				West Bay	275 22 18	694.1	759.1	0.43
				East Bay	31 50 25	1766.0	1931.3	1.10
				West Bay	265 57 27	965.1	1055.4	0.60
				East Bay	25 46 33	1520.8	1663.1	0.95
				N. W. pt. of Snow's Isl'd.	163 22 41	763.3	834.7	0.47
				N. E. pt. of Snow's Isl'd.	140 41 10	775.2	847.7	0.48
				West Bay	255 07 26	1310.0	1432.6	0.81
				East Bay	18 00 15	1157.7	1266.0	0.72
				N. W. pt. of Ben's Island.	196 38 45	912.3	997.6	0.57
				N. E. pt. of Snow's Isl'd.	206 18 21	1274.2	1393.4	0.79
				N. W. pt. of Ben's Island.	167 05 40	283.6	310.1	0.18
				N. E. pt. of Snow's Isl'd.	203 47 08	595.4	651.1	0.37
				West Bay	228 08 47	1024.0	1119.8	0.64
				N. W. pt. of Snow's Isl'd.	185 28 50	751.7	822.1	0.47
				N. W. pt. of Ben's Isl'd.	216 47 48	379.8	415.3	0.24
				S. point of small island.	264 34 33	292.1	319.4	0.18
				E. entrance of Mill Cove.	156 16 46	365.7	399.9	0.23
				E. entrance of Orr's Cove.	202 06 49	379.6	415.1	0.24
				West Bay	260 12 31	1968.1	2152.3	1.22
				East Bay	344 02 28	1147.3	1254.7	0.71
				West Bay	185 34 17	1140.3	1247.0	0.71
				N. E. pt. of Snow's Isl'd.	141 23 41	1365.3	1493.0	0.85
				N. W. pt. of Snow's Isl'd.	63 29 43	343.8	376.0	0.21
				West Bay	299 28 08	440.6	481.9	0.27
				N. E. pt. of Snow's Isl'd.	93 28 18	820.0	896.7	0.51
				N. W. pt. of Snow's Isl'd.	108 32 50	574.6	628.3	0.36

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Section I.—Harpwell Sound, Maine.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
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Southwest corner of fish-house.	43 49 31.36	69 53 58.42	17 30 43 356 15 18	N. E. pt. of Snow's Isl'd N. W. pt. of Ben's Isl'd	197 30 35 176 15 19	883.4 575.4	966.0 629.2	0.55 0.36
South entrance of Davis' Cove.	43 49 09.23	69 54 47.21	217 09 47 290 57 23	E. entr'ce of Orr's Cove N. E. pt. of Snow's Isl'd	37 09 57 100 57 49	552.2 840.1	603.9 918.7	0.34 0.52
Flag in tree on ridge.....	43 49 17.18	69 55 15.25	346 01 56 285 35 10	Yarmouth..... N. E. pt. of Snow's Isl'd	166 02 29 105 35 55	4469.4 1506.2	4887.6 1647.1	2.78 0.94
Chimney of house with red trimmings.	43 48 52.93	69 54 55.91	224 25 51 349 47 16	East Bay..... Yarmouth.....	44 26 43 169 47 36	2399.3 3646.7	2623.8 3987.9	1.49 2.27
Northwest corner of northeast fish-house.	43 49 21.95	69 53 38.49	55 09 55 89 07 15	N. W. pt. of Ben's Isl'd S. point of Small Island	235 09 42 269 07 00	496.7 471.1	543.1 515.2	0.31 0.29
Southwest corner of southeast fish-house.	43 49 16.69	69 53 42.35	152 45 30 73 55 94	E. entr'ce of Rich's Cove. West Bay.....	332 45 27 253 54 35	205.3 1652.3	224.5 1806.9	0.13 1.03
Southeast corner of wharf on west shore.	43 49 14.72	69 54 49.86	290 24 30 307 03 45	N. E. pt. of Snow's Isl'd N. W. pt. of Snow's Isl'd	110 24 57 137 04 04	943.9 765.6	1032.3 837.2	0.59 0.48
Brick-kiln Cove	43 49 48.48	69 54 01.06	357 41 06 8 34 35	S. point of Small Island N. E. pt. of Snow's Isl'd	177 41 07 188 34 29	826.8 1366.4	904.1 1516.1	0.51 0.86
<i>New Meadow River, Me.</i>								
Holbrook.....	43 52 16.67	69 53 01.73	304 31 48 340 06 52	Rich's Mount..... Three Islands.....	124 32 33 160 07 20	1743.9 2647.5	1907.1 2895.2	1.08 1.65
No. 1, New Meadow River	43 53 36.79	69 53 44.57	338 51 12 4 55 14	Holbrook..... Orr.....	158 51 42 184 55 02	2651.0 4674.6	2899.1 5112.0	1.65 2.90
No. 2, New Meadow River	43 53 12.05	69 52 17.42	30 03 47 111 25 54	Holbrook..... No. 1, New Meadow Riv.	210 03 16 291 24 54	1974.9 2089.3	2159.7 2284.8	1.23 1.30
No. 3, New Meadow River	43 54 02.63	69 52 33.28	347 13 04 63 22 90	No. 2, New Meadow Riv. No. 1, New Meadow Riv.	167 13 15 243 22 01	1600.4 1779.6	1750.1 1946.1	0.99 1.11
No. 4, New Meadow River	43 54 57.35	69 52 06.59	19 25 36 4 15 11	No. 3, New Meadow Riv. No. 2, New Meadow Riv.	199 25 18 184 15 03	1790.4 3258.6	1957.9 3563.5	1.11 2.02
Holbrook's house, south chimney.	43 52 17.90	69 53 00.09	2 31 34 44 18 33	Grover..... Holbrook.....	182 31 28 224 18 32	4201.4 52.2	4594.5 57.1	2.61 0.03
Fish-house, entrance of bay....	43 51 19.17	69 51 42.34	38 52 26 50 41 20	Grover..... Three Islands.....	218 51 26 220 40 53	3063.1 1127.2	3349.7 1234.7	1.90 0.70
Rich's Mount, white and black flag.	43 51 53.56	69 51 55.90	6 48 51 17 46 56	Rich's Mount..... Three Islands.....	186 48 50 197 46 38	277.4 1863.4	303.4 2039.9	0.17 1.16
Horsey's house, chimney.....	43 51 08.59	69 53 01.07	231 58 41 293 39 19	Rich's Mount..... Three Islands.....	51 59 25 113 39 46	1805.0 967.1	1973.9 1057.6	1.12 0.60
Foster's Point.....	43 51 28.54	69 52 42.53	243 47 23 334 49 31	Rich's Mount..... Three Islands.....	63 47 54 154 49 46	1123.4 1109.0	1228.5 1212.7	0.70 0.69
Woodward's house, cupola.....	43 52 31.01	69 53 49.07	292*41 44 326 15 42	Holbrook..... Three Islands.....	112 42 17 146 16 43	1145.7 3525.1	1252.9 3855.0	0.71 2.19
Woodward's barn, ventilator....	43 52 29.80	69 53 49.79	290 40 06 325 42 23	Holbrook..... Three Islands.....	110 40 39 145 43 24	1146.7 3503.2	1254.0 3831.0	0.71 2.18
Chimney of large unpainted house.	43 53 02.11	69 53 26.45	258 43 56 338 30 50	No. 2, New Meadow Riv. Holbrook.....	78 44 44 158 31 07	1571.0 1507.1	1718.0 1648.1	0.98 0.94
New Meadow, spire.....	43 53 03.59	69 54 38.05	229 21 19 265 13 47	No. 1, New Meadow Riv. No. 2, New Meadow Riv.	49 21 56 85 15 24	1572.8 3149.6	1720.0 3444.3	0.98 1.96
Barn, cupola.....	43 54 44.86	69 52 17.22	211 38 09 0 05 14	No. 4, New Meadow Riv. No. 2, New Meadow Riv.	31 38 16 180 05 14	452.2 2864.7	494.5 3132.7	0.28 1.78
Harding's Hill, flag.....	43 54 58.65	69 52 07.97	3 40 04 322 18 02	No. 2, New Meadow Riv. No. 4, New Meadow Riv.	183 39 57 142 18 03	3296.3 50.5	3604.7 55.2	2.05 0.03
Flag in tree south of Great Hill.	43 53 12.41	69 51 17.33	89 32 16 132 26 38	No. 2, New Meadow Riv. No. 3, New Meadow Riv.	269 31 34 312 25 45	1341.2 2296.7	1466.7 2511.6	0.83 1.43
Southeast king-post, Bull Road Bridge.	43 54 23.07	69 51 55.95	52 52 30 167 20 46	No. 3, New Meadow Riv. No. 4, New Meadow Riv.	232 52 04 347 20 39	1044.8 1084.2	1142.5 1185.7	0.65 0.67
Rich's Mount, flag No. 2	43 52 11.27	69 51 10.70	51 43 58 34 13 11	Rich's Mount..... Three Islands.....	231 43 26 214 12 22	1327.9 2808.1	1452.1 3070.9	0.83 1.75
Flag above bay.....	43 52 42.00	69 50 05.02	54 47 26 42 58 07	Rich's Mount..... Three Islands.....	234 46 08 222 56 32	3070.8 4468.9	3358.2 4887.0	1.91 2.78
<i>Quohog Bay and vicinity, Me.</i>								
Head of Orr's Cove.....	43 50 08.71	69 54 29.46	91 13 48 198 49 48	Charles Orr..... Orr.....	271 13 38 18 50 07	340.0 1863.6	371.8 2037.9	0.21 1.16

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Section I.—Quohog Bay and vicinity, Me.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Asimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
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Whitmore.....	43 51 00.19	69 54 23.80	249 45 22 16 25 55	Orr..... Charles Orr.....	69 45 37 196 25 41	506.4 1648.7	553.8 1803.0	0.31 1.02
Prince's Point.....	43 50 31.01	69 55 55.83	246 57 32 293 10 52	Orr..... Charles Orr.....	66 58 51 113 11 41	2749.8 1729.1	3007.1 1890.9	1.71 1.07
Doughty.....	43 50 42.73	69 54 39.11	228 51 23 147 31 59	Orr..... Cranberry Ridge.....	48 51 48 327 31 32	1085.0 1638.1	1186.6 1791.4	0.67 1.02
Scofield.....	43 51 01.66	69 56 44.70	267 55 59 310 55 03	Orr..... Prince's Point.....	87 57 52 130 55 37	3624.0 1444.3	3963.1 1579.4	2.25 0.90
Doughty's Point.....	43 50 12.26	69 55 48.78	164 45 19 274 05 08	Prince's Point..... Charles Orr.....	344 45 14 94 05 52	599.5 1435.5	655.6 1569.8	0.37 0.89
Barnes Point.....	43 50 21.70	69 56 20.59	280 23 56 292 16 00	Charles Orr..... Doughty's Point.....	100 25 02 112 16 22	2178.1 768.0	2381.9 839.9	1.35 0.48
Ewins Narrows.....	43 48 55.89	69 56 47.03	192 34 20 201 18 59	Barnes Point..... Prince's Point.....	12 34 38 21 17 34	2713.3 3150.2	2967.2 3444.9	1.69 1.96
Flag in tree on ridge south of Long Reach.	43 48 46.10	69 55 44.72	175 36 53 207 40 43	Prince's Point..... Charles Orr.....	355 36 45 27 41 25	3247.0 2887.2	3550.9 3157.4	2.02 1.79
Prince's Point, flag in tree.....	43 50 34.82	69 55 53.87	126 07 35 248 55 08	Scofield..... Orr.....	306 07 00 68 56 25	1405.0 2665.2	1536.5 2914.6	0.87 1.66
J. B. Farren's house, chimney in center.	43 51 28.81	69 55 07.29	296 05 01 80 52 50	Orr..... Cranberry Ridge.....	116 05 46 260 52 42	1610.3 253.2	1760.9 276.9	1.00 0.16
White flag in tree.....	43 51 35.94	69 55 15.87	12 42 26 345 27 11	Cranberry Ridge..... Charles Orr.....	192 42 24 165 27 33	266.4 2773.4	291.3 3032.9	0.17 1.72
Square unpainted house, chimney in center.	43 52 21.53	69 56 40.48	303 29 33 318 21 12	Orr..... Doughty.....	123 31 22 138 22 36	4229.9 4079.3	4625.7 4461.0	2.63 2.53
Charles Orr's house, south chimney.	43 50 08.36	69 54 34.82	202 06 59 174 50 69	Orr..... Doughty.....	22 07 21 354 50 06	1915.7 1065.2	2094.9 1164.9	1.19 0.66
Arthur Reed's white house, chimney in center.	43 50 23.71	69 54 26.36	202 14 59 41 55 48	Orr..... Charles Orr.....	22 15 16 221 55 35	1405.7 612.4	1537.2 669.7	0.87 0.38
David Doughty's unpainted house, chimney.	43 50 24.91	69 55 07.51	228 56 32 314 00 40	Orr..... Charles Orr.....	48 57 17 134 00 56	1924.5 709.0	2104.6 775.3	1.20 0.44
Flag in tree southwest of Doughty's Point.	43 49 55.93	69 56 06.10	191 57 51 231 57 27	Prince's Point..... Orr.....	11 57 58 51 59 23	1106.5 3503.8	1210.0 3831.7	0.69 2.18
Hiram Wallace's barn, west gable.	43 50 10.66	69 55 51.16	272 02 03 170 32 52	Charles Orr..... Prince's Point.....	92 02 49 350 32 49	1486.0 636.5	1625.1 696.0	0.92 0.40
J. Jordan's barn, south gable...	43 50 05.34	69 57 14.98	225 43 14 268 05 04	Cranberry Ridge..... Charles Orr.....	45 44 35 88 06 51	3638.4 3359.2	3978.9 3673.6	2.26 2.09
Jordan's house, north chimney.	43 50 15.53	69 57 10.22	273 33 43 273 09 49	Charles Orr..... Doughty's Point.....	93 35 24 93 10 45	3257.6 1821.9	3562.4 1992.4	2.02 1.13
Black and white flag on Prince's Bluff.	43 50 46.56	69 55 26.71	321 01 48 188 15 54	Charles Orr..... Cranberry Ridge.....	141 02 17 8 16 00	1492.8 1277.3	1632.5 1396.8	0.93 0.79
Barnes's white house, chimney in center.	43 50 35.84	69 56 50.41	286 27 05 297 51 29	Charles Orr..... Doughty's Point.....	106 28 32 117 52 12	2928.7 1556.8	3202.7 1702.4	1.82 0.97
Scofield's house, chimney at north end.	43 51 08.33	69 56 41.68	318 22 02 18 07 16	Prince's Point..... Scofield.....	138 22 34 198 07 14	1541.2 216.7	1685.4 236.9	0.96 0.13
William Anderson's house, chimney in center.	43 51 08.06	69 55 19.93	272 14 28 336 39 15	Orr..... Charles Orr.....	92 15 22 156 39 39	1729.9 1967.1	1891.7 2173.1	1.07 1.24
Orr's house, center chimney....	43 51 08.10	69 54 28.07	118 01 16 276 54 00	Cranberry Ridge..... Orr.....	298 00 41 96 54 18	1275.4 574.6	1394.7 628.3	0.79 0.36
Vane in tree.....	43 51 09.25	69 56 44.43	317 23 43 1 28 30	Prince's Point..... Scofield.....	137 24 17 181 28 30	1603.3 234.2	1753.3 256.1	1.00 0.15
Coffin's house, center chimney..	43 50 24.62	69 54 58.04	217 06 06 328 21 47	Doughty..... Charles Orr.....	37 06 19 148 21 56	700.5 568.6	766.0 621.8	0.44 0.35
Pennell's house, north chimney.	43 52 00.37	69 57 16.99	291 09 20 290 57 27	Orr..... Cranberry Ridge.....	111 11 35 110 58 50	4656.5 2833.4	5092.2 3098.5	2.89 1.76
<i>Kennebec River, Me.</i>								
HODGKINS.....	43 58 41.97	69 48 26.67						
MAXWELL.....	44 02 11.42	69 50 14.17	339 40 08	Hodgkins.....	159 41 23	6895.0	7540.2	4.28
Costelow.....	44 02 51.38	69 45 45.48	25 00 56 78 22 41	Hodgkins..... Maxwell.....	204 59 04 258 19 35	8494.8 6107.1	9289.6 6678.6	5.28 3.79

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Richmond	44 05 22.73	69 48 10.55	325 20 30 24 59 35	Costelow	145 22 11	5678.3	6209.6	3.53
				Maxwell	204 58 09	6513.9	7123.4	4.05
Houdlette	44 05 00.93	69 45 53.93	357 18 25 47 56 01	Costelow	177 18 31	4002.9	4377.5	2.49
				Maxwell	227 53 00	7804.5	8534.7	4.85
Hathorn's Hill	44 05 49.53	69 46 49.39	330 34 14 65 22 44	Houdlette	140 34 52	1942.6	2124.3	1.21
				Richmond	245 21 48	1985.8	2171.6	1.23
Theobald	44 05 28.05	69 45 44.15	14 33 53 87 07 57	Houdlette	194 33 46	864.7	945.6	0.54
				Richmond	267 06 15	3260.4	3565.4	2.03
Widow's Hill	44 06 59.98	69 45 00.66	18 49 18 48 02 29	Theobald	198 48 48	2998.6	3279.2	1.86
				Hathorn's Hill	228 01 13	3251.9	3556.2	2.02
Wilson	44 06 32.43	69 46 36.17	248 10 02 329 47 47	Widow's Hill	68 11 09	2287.7	2501.7	1.42
				Theobald	149 48 23	2300.0	2515.2	1.43
Hagar	44 08 08.13	69 45 45.73	334 31 23 20 47 52	Widow's Hill	154 31 54	2328.4	2547.4	1.45
				Wilson	200 47 16	3159.2	3454.8	1.96
Meserve	44 08 43.32	69 44 07.74	20 15 04 39 15 23	Widow's Hill	200 14 27	3399.2	3717.3	2.11
				Wilson	219 13 40	5216.0	5704.1	3.24
Woodward	44 08 17.59	69 45 40.62	248 57 04 339 38 43	Meserve	68 58 09	2211.7	2418.7	1.37
				Widow's Hill	159 39 11	2554.7	2793.7	1.59
Layton's Hill	44 10 21.40	69 45 28.70	329 16 16 3 58 05	Meserve	149 17 12	3521.0	3850.5	2.19
				Woodward	183 57 57	3830.1	4188.5	2.38
Telegraph Hill	44 10 26.66	69 44 21.95	23 42 08 83 45 53	Woodward	203 41 13	4349.8	4756.8	2.70
				Layton's Hill	263 45 07	1491.4	1630.9	0.93
Iron Hill	44 12 44.51	69 46 46.13	323 01 29 349 58 36	Telegraph Hill	143 03 09	5324.5	5822.7	3.31
				Woodward	169 59 22	8365.1	9147.8	5.20
Winter's Hill	44 16 53.17	69 44 06.52	1 38 44 24 47 01	Telegraph Hill	181 38 33	11933.6	13050.2	7.41
				Iron Hill	204 45 10	8451.7	9242.6	5.25
Perkins	44 16 18.14	69 47 26.46	256 16 36 352 16 09	Winter's Hill	76 18 56	4563.0	4990.0	2.84
				Iron Hill	172 16 37	6653.6	7276.1	4.13
Burnt Hill	44 19 13.20	69 46 47.21	320 29 32 9 09 02	Winter's Hill	140 31 24	5600.0	6124.0	3.48
				Perkins	189 08 35	5472.2	5984.2	3.40
Beacon	44 02 48.27	69 47 09.85	202 24 46 267 03 49	Houdlette	22 25 39	4429.4	4843.9	2.75
				Costelow	87 04 48	1880.4	2056.3	1.17
Swan Island 1	44 03 53.60	69 47 29.71	161 43 36 309 36 39	Richmond	341 43 08	2897.4	3168.5	1.80
				Costelow	129 37 51	3011.4	3293.1	1.87
Blair	44 03 39.70	69 45 14.73	98 08 33 160 49 29	Swan Island 1	278 06 59	3034.1	3318.0	1.89
				Houdlette	340 49 02	2654.6	2903.0	1.65
Thompson's red barn	44 04 08.82	69 48 18.35	184 20 50 243 23 39	Richmond	4 20 55	2287.8	2501.8	1.42
				Houdlette	63 25 19	3593.2	3929.4	2.23
Richmond, brown spire	44 05 16.79	69 47 59.62	279 55 04 27 38 14	Houdlette	99 56 31	2838.4	3104.0	1.76
				Maxwell	207 36 40	6457.3	7061.5	4.01
Methodist church, clock-spire ..	44 05 14.69	69 47 52.03	327 30 26 29 13 45	Costelow	147 31 54	5243.3	5733.9	3.26
				Maxwell	209 12 06	6480.4	7086.7	4.03
Congregationalist church-spire ..	44 05 08.33	69 47 55.00	325 42 04 29 34 37	Costelow	145 43 34	5116.1	5594.8	3.18
				Maxwell	209 33 00	6277.1	6864.5	3.90
Cemetery, flag-staff	44 06 14.56	69 45 42.72	213 42 49 1 16 46	Widow's Hill	33 43 18	1685.1	1842.8	1.05
				Theobald	181 16 45	1436.8	1571.2	0.89
Hathorn's barn, southeast gable ..	44 05 31.24	69 46 48.02	81 52 38 221 03 44	Richmond	261 51 41	1854.3	2027.8	1.15
				Widow's Hill	41 04 59	3633.9	3974.0	2.26
David Reed's house, chimney ..	44 05 08.23	69 47 01.05	278 35 59 217 48 27	Houdlette	98 36 46	1509.6	1650.8	0.94
				Widow's Hill	37 49 51	4367.6	4776.3	2.71
Swan Island 3	44 05 00.60	69 47 28.93	221 48 29 250 01 15	Widow's Hill	41 50 12	4945.2	5407.9	3.07
				Theobald	70 02 28	2479.9	2711.9	1.54
Adkin's barn, south gable	44 11 19.86	69 45 26.61	3 10 15 1 28 19	Woodward	183 10 05	5633.5	6160.6	3.50
				Layton's Hill	181 28 18	1804.8	1973.6	1.12
Gardiner Congreg'nalist church, white spire	44 13 38.16	69 46 12.20	24 27 46 204 50 32	Iron Hill	204 27 22	1819.0	1989.2	1.13
				Winter's Hill	24 52 00	6632.6	7253.2	4.12
Dunfry	44 12 53.14	69 46 10.72	331 52 35 165 08 05	Telegraph Hill	151 53 51	5125.3	5604.9	3.18
				Perkins	345 07 12	6546.2	7158.7	4.07
Gardiner Methodist church, spire	44 13 55.02	69 46 11.38	339 17 38 206 43 15	Telegraph Hill	159 18 54	6874.0	7517.2	4.27
				Winter's Hill	26 44 42	6157.0	6733.2	3.83

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Gardiner Universalist church, spire.	44 13 41.18	69 46 03.31	28 31 40 203 36 16	Iron Hill..... Winter's Hill.....	208 31 10 23 37 37	1990.5 6466.9	2176.7 7072.0	1.24 4.02
Gardiner Episcopal church, spire.	44 13 38.26	69 46 09.27	26 15 41 204 20 31	Iron Hill..... Winter's Hill.....	206 15 15 24 21 57	1849.6 6602.7	2022.7 7230.6	1.15 4.10
Gardiner Catholic church, spire.	44 13 32.49	69 46 10.80	27 54 30 203 58 56	Iron Hill..... Winter's Hill.....	207 54 05 24 00 23	1675.7 6779.1	1832.5 7413.5	1.04 4.21
Bodge.....	44 09 30.87	69 44 56.89	204 16 00 23 15 20	Telegraph Hill..... Woodward.....	24 16 24 203 14 49	1888.5 2461.5	2065.2 2691.8	1.17 1.53
Lapham.....	44 12 20.21	69 45 06.80	5 43 54 184 08 09	Woodward..... Telegraph Hill.....	185 43 30 184 08 09	7525.3 3642.9	8229.4 3983.8	4.68 2.26
Pittston spire.....	44 13 49.98	69 45 34.98	38 01 20 199 07 57	Iron Hill..... Winter's Hill.....	218 00 30 19 08 59	2564.4 5984.0	2804.3 6543.9	1.50 3.72
Augusta Free Will Baptist church, spire.	44 19 08.17	69 46 27.36	2 00 54 109 25 55	Iron Hill..... Burnt Hill.....	182 00 41 289 25 41	11848.0 466.4	12956.6 510.0	7.36 0.29
Capitol, flag-staff.....	44 18 24.73	69 46 34.25	310 46 45 16 30 13	Winter's Hill..... Perkins.....	120 48 28 196 29 37	4325.4 4074.8	4730.1 4456.0	2.69 2.53
Augusta Congregationalist church, spire.	44 18 59.74	69 46 13.25	324 16 02 118 52 45	Winter's Hill..... Burnt Hill.....	144 17 31 298 52 21	4811.3 859.4	5261.5 939.8	2.99 0.53
Hunt.....	44 15 44.48	69 45 44.45	225 40 45 114 40 26	Winter's Hill..... Perkins.....	45 41 53 294 39 15	3034.7 2489.3	3318.6 2722.3	1.89 1.55
Augusta Baptist church, spire..	44 18 52.25	69 46 17.04	134 01 51 321 46 39	Burnt Hill..... Winter's Hill.....	314 01 30 141 48 10	929.9 4677.1	1016.9 5114.8	0.58 2.91
Insane asylum, chimney.....	44 18 08.92	69 45 53.23	31 09 43 148 54 56	Perkins..... Burnt Hill.....	211 08 38 328 54 18	3995.0 2316.5	4368.8 2533.2	2.48 1.44
Foster's mill, chimney.....	44 05 18.98	69 47 29.17	284 43 17 263 09 25	Houdlette..... Theobald.....	104 44 23 83 10 38	2190.6 2352.6	2395.6 2572.7	1.36 1.46
Prescott's house, chimney.....	44 06 21.53	69 45 43.77	218 54 52 179 14 34	Widow's Hill..... Hagar.....	38 55 22 359 14 33	1525.9 3290.5	1668.7 3598.3	0.95 2.04
Hallowell Methodist church, spire, (gilt ball.)	44 17 09.70	69 47 17.55	7 04 27 276 50 59	Perkins..... Winter's Hill.....	187 04 21 96 53 12	1603.3 4265.8	1753.3 4664.9	1.00 2.65
Hallowell, white spire.....	44 16 54.83	69 47 10.98	342 35 53 187 02 03	Telegraph Hill..... Burnt Hill.....	162 37 51 7 02 20	12553.3 4302.5	13727.9 4705.0	7.80 2.67
<i>Farmington, Me.</i>								
HARRIS.....	44 39 53.57	69 08 32.90						
MOUNT BLUE.....	44 43 40.13	70 20 11.91	273 48 23	Harris.....	94 38 47	94898.2	103777.9	58.96
Bannock.....	44 44 00.39	70 02 02.57	275 50 28 88 36 44	Harris..... Mount Blue.....	96 28 05 268 23 57	71068.0 23975.1	77717.8 26218.5	44.15 14.90
Farmington.....	44 40 13.94	70 09 28.93	234 31 50 114 16 20	Bannock..... Mount Blue.....	54 37 04 294 08 48	12057.6 15519.0	13185.8 16971.1	7.49 9.64
Stewart.....	44 40 18.28	70 08 54.43	112 44 21 80 00 22	Mount Blue..... Farmington.....	292 36 24 250 59 57	16162.2 771.3	17674.5 843.4	10.04 0.48
Farmington, observatory.....	44 40 21.44	70 08 56.04	72 17 23 339 59 41	Farmington..... Stewart.....	252 17 00 159 59 42	760.2 103.6	831.3 113.3	0.47 0.06
Court-house.....	44 40 16.31	70 08 46.77	112 42 30 85 29 49	Mount Blue..... Farmington.....	292 34 28 265 29 19	16341.4 931.3	17870.4 1018.4	10.15 0.58
<i>Saco Bay, Me., from Wells to Richmond Island.</i>								
COLE'S HILL.....	43 20 34.07	70 33 56.92						
KENNEBUNK POINT.....	43 20 29.31	70 27 39.24	91 01 32	Cole's Hill.....	270 57 13	8507.2	9303.2	5.29
Wellstown.....	43 17 14.96	70 34 03.15	235 13 48 222 39 40	Kennebunk Point..... Boothbey.....	55 18 11 42 42 48	10525.8 9126.1	11510.7 9980.1	6.54 5.67
Merrill.....	43 23 49.17	70 28 23.69	14 58 46 336 31 03	Boothbey..... Summit.....	194 58 01 156 31 54	5647.4 4197.0	6175.8 4589.8	3.51 2.61
School-House Hill.....	43 22 14.98	70 26 20.02	270 11 46 49 41 28	Stage Island..... Summit.....	90 12 49 229 40 54	2069.0 1458.1	2262.5 1594.6	1.29 0.91
Holman's Point.....	43 26 51.19	70 20 12.26	36 03 41 44 11 01	Stage Island..... School-House Hill.....	216 00 31 224 06 48	10549.0 11878.3	11536.0 12989.8	6.55 7.38
Little River.....	43 23 38.43	70 23 31.96	53 46 07 54 18 28	School-House Hill..... Summit.....	235 44 12 234 15 59	4575.8 6027.8	5003.9 6591.8	2.84 3.75

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Section I.—Saco Bay, Me., from Wells to Richmond Island.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Andrew Huff's barn, cupola....	43 21 47.90	70 26 20.57	84 24 27 228 02 16	Summit.....	264 23 53	1105.0	1208.4	0.69
				Little River.....	48 04 12	5103.0	5580.5	3.17
Oakridge.....	43 26 53.15	70 26 05.16	270 24 08 2 13 58	Holman's Point.....	90 28 11	7934.2	8676.6	4.93
				School-house Hill.....	182 13 48	8590.0	9393.8	5.34
Jordan's Island.....	43 30 16.41	70 18 20.66	21 36 52 59 02 29	Holman's Point.....	201 35 36	6811.4	7448.7	4.23
				Oakridge.....	238 57 10	12177.8	13317.2	7.57
Saco Hill.....	43 33 08.26	70 21 14.37	323 38 55 353 09 24	Jordan's Island.....	143 40 55	6582.7	7198.7	4.09
				Holman's Point.....	173 10 07	11719.1	12815.7	7.28
Clarke's house, south chimney..	43 20 12.71	70 32 44.46	265 42 36 112 00 59	Kennebunk Point.....	85 46 05	6893.2	7538.2	4.28
				Cole's Hill.....	292 00 09	1760.3	1925.0	1.09
Atlantic House, cupola.....	43 17 35.03	70 33 45.20	236 51 01 177 15 54	Kennebunk Point.....	56 55 12	9844.3	10765.4	6.12
				Cole's Hill.....	357 15 46	5531.4	6048.9	3.44
Wentworth's barn, cupola.....	43 20 51.24	70 29 53.47	40 09 11 266 27 56	Wellstown.....	220 06 20	8728.3	9545.0	5.49
				Boothbey.....	86 28 13	563.2	615.9	0.35
Fishing-house, flag-staff.....	43 20 24.86	70 29 44.19	267 11 56 92 53 01	Kennebunk Point.....	87 13 22	2817.5	3081.1	1.75
				Cole's Hill.....	272 50 08	5698.9	6232.1	3.54
Fishing-Rock Spindle.....	43 20 09.60	70 28 26.21	240 06 30 95 49 15	Kennebunk Point.....	60 07 02	1220.3	1334.5	0.76
				Cole's Hill.....	275 45 28	7487.7	8188.3	4.65
Butland's house, middle chimney.	43 17 13.35	70 34 05.42	235 09 55 222 41 14	Kennebunk Point.....	55 14 20	10586.4	11587.9	6.58
				Boothbey.....	42 44 24	9197.2	10057.8	5.71
Kennebunkport light.....	43 20 44.32	70 28 14.20	300 28 20 98 26 31	Kennebunk Point.....	120 28 44	913.5	998.9	0.57
				Boothbey.....	278 25 40	1692.0	1850.3	1.05
School-house, chimney.....	42 22 14.68	70 26 19.33	269 56 04 50 22 00	Stage Island.....	89 57 07	9053.2	9845.3	1.28
				Summit.....	230 21 26	1463.9	1600.9	0.91
Curtis Cove.....	43 24 23.11	70 23 25.83	25 03 44 44 46 20	Stage Island.....	205 02 48	4372.5	4781.6	2.72
				School-House Hill.....	224 44 20	5567.7	6088.6	3.46
Clement Stone's house, middle chimney.	43 22 05.83	70 25 39.49	107 12 31 256 36 47	School-House Hill.....	287 12 03	955.3	1044.7	0.59
				Stage Island.....	76 37 22	1188.8	1300.0	0.74
George Emmons' house, middle chimney.	43 24 15.70	70 23 52.66	337 56 48 18 29 28	Little River.....	157 57 02	1240.5	1356.5	0.77
				Stage Island.....	198 28 50	3935.5	4303.7	2.45
Charles Cleaves' house, west apex.	43 23 57.11	70 23 35.00	353 15 39 194 24 54	Little River.....	173 15 41	580.2	634.5	0.36
				Curtis Cove.....	14 25 00	828.6	906.1	0.51
Biddeford Congregationalist church, spire.	43 29 32.52	70 27 05.36	263 23 41 298 09 45	Jordan's Island.....	83 29 42	11864.4	12974.5	7.37
				Holman's Point.....	118 14 29	10534.8	11520.5	6.55
Biddeford Baptist church, spire.	43 29 38.82	70 27 09.30	264 22 10 298 51 17	Jordan's Island.....	84 28 14	11931.6	13048.0	7.41
				Holman's Point.....	118 56 04	10705.3	11707.0	6.65
Johnson's house, east chimney..	43 29 06.10	70 28 51.23	250 19 49 319 20 54	Jordan's Island.....	70 22 55	6454.0	7057.9	4.01
				Holman's Point.....	139 22 43	5486.3	5999.7	3.41
Eagle Island, tree.....	43 28 45.65	70 21 13.61	338 40 06 179 52 48	Holman's Point.....	158 40 48	3791.6	4146.3	2.36
				Saco Hill.....	359 52 47	8103.7	8861.9	5.04
Staple's cupola.....	43 31 02.15	70 22 21.71	284 35 18 339 24 05	Jordan's Island.....	104 38 04	5594.7	6118.1	3.48
				Holman's Point.....	159 25 34	8272.3	9046.3	5.14
Blue Point Hill House, south chimney.	43 32 55.40	70 21 02.53	323 27 11 354 15 26	Jordan's Island.....	143 29 02	6105.9	6677.3	3.79
				Holman's Point.....	174 16 01	11295.8	12352.7	7.02
Richmond Island House, cupola.	43 32 34.62	70 14 00.30	53 54 51 38 17 26	Jordan's Island.....	233 51 52	7236.6	7913.7	4.50
				Holman's Point.....	218 13 10	13495.5	14758.3	8.39
Butland.....	43 17 11.46	70 34 01.92	3 59 38 36 28 31	Bald Head Cliff.....	183 59 22	7413.3	8107.0	4.61
				Ogunquit.....	216 27 16	4156.3	4545.2	2.58
Donnell.....	43 15 58.53	70 35 43.01	225 21 00 341 03 43	Butland.....	45 22 10	3203.4	3503.1	1.99
				Bald Head Cliff.....	161 04 37	5438.6	5947.5	3.38
Maxwell.....	43 16 18.41	70 36 12.41	240 53 40 337 07 53	Butland.....	60 55 10	3366.8	3681.8	2.09
				Bald Head Cliff.....	157 09 07	6249.0	6833.7	3.88
Butland Island.....	43 18 05.76	70 33 46.56	11 40 28 44 48 02	Butland.....	191 40 17	1710.7	1870.8	1.06
				Maxwell.....	224 46 22	4667.0	5103.7	2.90
Congregationalist church, spire.	43 18 04.12	70 34 51.60	16 38 57 268 00 04	Donnell.....	196 38 22	4045.0	4423.5	2.51
				Butland Island.....	88 00 49	1466.5	1603.7	0.91
Pequanket, cupola of house....	44 06 19.60	71 05 20.22	333 32 42 266 40 30	Ossipee.....	153 47 24	64127.7	70128.1	39.84
				Sebattis.....	87 22 57	81424.9	89043.9	50.60

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Section I.—Cambridge, Mass.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Cloverden Station	42 22 45.56	71 06 57.11	107 30 12 249 00 41	Cambridge Observatory. Somerville Church	2-7 29 55 69 01 39	610.6 2106.1	667.8 2303.2	0.38 1.31
Cloverden Observatory	42 22 44.31	71 06 56.59	154 01 08	Cloverden Station	334 01 07	43.0	47.0	0.03
Museum	42 22 42.54	71 06 35.01	239 46 04 104 11 22	Somerville Church	59 46 47	1682.8	1840.3	1.05
Nantucket Island.				Cambridge Observatory	284 10 50	1129.2	1234.9	0.70
Brant Point light	41 17 20.90	70 05 13.12	101 55 44 33 46 06	Nantucket Cliff	291 54 52	1883.1	2059.3	1.17
Folger	41 17 14.71	70 05 55.08	123 48 17 225 31 17	South tower of church	213 45 51	982.9	1074.9	0.61
Nantucket, north towered church.	41 17 07.63	70 05 16.72	329 59 13 138 20 34	Nantucket Cliff	303 47 52	1042.4	1139.9	0.65
Monomoy light of 1857	41 33 31.54	69 59 17.40	115 33 10 18 54 12	South towered church	145 31 29	759.6	830.7	0.47
Cape Cod, Mass.				Folger	318 20 29	291.8	319.1	0.18
SCARGO	41 44 20.31	70 10 28.39		Shoot-flying	295 19 06	32577.6	35625.9	20.24
MILL HILL	41 46 32.00	69 59 45.41	74 45 45	Nantucket Cliff	198 49 24	31230.2	34152.4	19.40
CHATHAM	41 41 48.52	69 58 26.81	105 45 06 168 16 29	Scargo	254 38 37	15396.6	16837.2	9.57
Marsh	41 43 49.75	69 55 18.34	49 22 09 129 04 37	Scargo	285 37 05	17321.8	18942.6	10.76
Pochet	41 46 37.83	69 56 04.49	348 22 40 88 00 01	Mill Hill	348 15 36	8931.2	9766.9	5.55
Eldridge	41 44 32.71	69 58 18.12	287 40 43 151 17 18	Chatham	229 20 04	5741.4	6278.6	3.57
Sampson	41 45 19.59	69 56 38.84	57 46 41 198 11 24	Mill Hill	309 01 39	7944.4	8687.7	4.94
Old Harbor	41 42 17.75	69 55 39.51	138 39 12 76 53 21	Marsh	168 23 11	5293.6	5788.9	3.29
Camp	41 43 57.41	69 59 11.69	345 22 28 228 39 21	Mill Hill	267 57 34	5104.7	5582.3	3.17
Basin	41 39 46.29	69 56 20.06	142 09 05 191 20 40	Marsh	107 42 43	4360.2	4768.2	2.71
Pine	41 40 06.35	69 59 13.92	199 03 54 278 44 04	Mill Hill	331 16 20	4196.2	4588.9	2.61
Mosquito	41 39 24.70	69 57 11.01	158 26 52 240 31 49	Eldridge	237 45 35	2711.4	2965.1	1.68
Shell	41 37 50.58	69 57 19.86	201 10 52 157 47 58	Pochet	18 11 47	2540.8	2778.6	1.58
Cove	41 36 53.94	69 58 13.59	206 17 05 197 17 29	Eldridge	318 37 26	5547.0	6066.1	3.45
Chatham flag-staff	41 40 41.58	69 57 01.91	212 42 02 136 27 27	Chatham	256 51 30	3971.4	4343.0	2.47
Chatham, new spire	41 40 56.35	69 57 20.14	222 48 14 59 38 26	Chatham	165 22 58	4109.2	4493.7	2.55
Strong	41 43 10.30	69 57 08.03	35 49 36 244 20 34	Eldridge	48 39 57	1648.8	1803.1	1.02
Crow's Lookout	41 43 04.78	69 58 03.89	12 41 39 250 03 13	Chatham	322 07 41	4775.8	5222.6	2.97
Sipson's Island	41 44 07.11	69 57 30.45	208 03 59 125 38 40	Old Harbor	11 21 07	4765.6	5211.5	2.96
Nameq oi	41 45 24.39	69 57 20.89	315 52 00 278 39 36	Chatham	19 04 25	3334.5	3646.5	2.07
Mayo	41 45 58.02	69 56 48.85	38 05 27 219 49 10	Basin	98 46 00	4068.8	4449.5	2.53
Cummings's flag-staff	41 47 10.03	69 56 42.77	318 19 48 358 28 25	Chatham	338 26 02	4770.2	5216.5	2.96
Mayo's House, south chimney	41 47 18.55	69 56 21.21	340 04 10 5 15 40	Basin	60 32 23	1353.8	1480.5	0.84
				Shell	21 11 32	3828.4	4186.6	2.38
				Pine	327 46 42	4950.6	5413.9	3.08
				Basin	26 18 20	5930.4	6485.3	3.68
				Mosquito	17 18 10	4870.8	5326.6	3.03
				Old Harbor	32 42 57	3526.2	3856.2	2.19
				Chatham	316 26 31	2849.1	3115.7	1.77
				Old Harbor	42 49 21	3423.4	3743.7	2.13
				Pine	239 37 10	3050.1	3335.5	1.90
				Chatham	215 48 46	3111.5	3402.6	1.93
				Marsh	64 21 54	2811.8	3074.9	1.75
				Chatham	192 41 25	2411.5	2637.1	1.50
				Marsh	70 05 03	4069.6	4450.4	2.53
				Sampson	28 04 33	2533.9	2771.0	1.57
				Eldridge	305 38 08	1355.3	1482.1	0.84
				Marsh	135 53 21	4066.8	4447.3	2.53
				Sampson	98 40 04	982.6	1074.5	0.61
				Eldridge	218 04 28	3343.4	3656.2	2.08
				Pochet	39 49 40	1599.3	1749.0	0.99
				Pochet	138 20 14	1329.5	1453.9	0.83
				Sampson	178 28 28	3408.2	3727.1	2.12
				Pochet	160 04 23	1335.9	1460.9	0.83
				Sampson	185 15 30	3685.2	4030.0	2.29

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Section I.—Cape Cod, Mass.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Atwood	41 45 09.24	70 04 02.81	80 25 15 246 44 03	Scargo	260 20 58 06 46 56	9034.5 6469.6	9879.8 7075.0	5.61 4.02
Billingsgate light, 1858	41 52 16.13	70 03 48.37	332 03 27 32 12 32	Mill Hill	152 11 09 212 08 05	12004.8 17340.0	13128.0 18962.5	7.46 10.77
Rock Point	41 46 10.80	70 04 24.52	264 10 56 345 12 29	Mill Hill	84 14 02 165 12 43	6478.3 1964.3	7024.5 2148.1	4.03 1.22
Orleans 2	41 47 30.45	70 00 30.08	330 13 41 65 36 35	Mill Hill	150 14 11 245 33 59	2077.2 5944.5	2271.6 6500.7	1.29 3.69
Hopkins	41 45 59.89	70 02 30.01	97 15 39 255 32 55	Rock Point	277 14 23 75 24 45	2665.7 3928.0	2915.1 4295.5	1.66 2.44
Sears	41 44 36.17	70 07 35.55	83 01 56 236 29 34	Scargo	263 00 01 56 31 41	4023.4 5291.5	4399.8 5786.6	2.50 3.29
North Dennis 2	41 44 40.22	70 12 08.28	219 19 06 284 53 20	Billingsgate light, 1858	39 24 39 104 54 27	18191.7 2388.1	19893.9 2611.6	11.30 1.48
Brewster, Orthodox Church spire.	41 45 41.10	70 04 35.80	195 52 23 256 47 42	Rock Point	15 52 31 76 50 55	952.7 6887.7	1041.9 7532.2	0.59 4.28
Harwich belfry	41 41 10.24	70 04 14.44	344 48 47 72 21 32	Harwich Port	164 49 07 252 12 10	2592.7 20178.0	2835.3 22066.1	1.61 12.54
Indian Hill	41 52 56.00	70 31 40.47	136 10 47 169 22 50	Manomet	316 08 29 349 22 25	6867.8 4659.4	7510.4 5095.4	4.27 2.90
Plymouth Cliff	41 49 38.48	70 32 15.98	314 01 40 287 53 18	Shootflying	134 09 31 108 07 49	22758.0 31746.6	24887.4 34717.1	14.14 19.73
East Plymouth	41 52 55.99	70 31 40.49	324 39 04 288 19 58	Shootflying	144 46 32 118 34 06	26864.2 33392.0	29377.9 36516.5	16.70 20.75
Provincetown, Baptist church belfry.	42 03 25.39	70 10 18.30	325 49 14 253 10 34	Griffin's Island	145 53 38 73 12 39	16144.0 4489.2	17654.6 4909.3	10.03 2.79
School-house at Long Point	42 01 19.63	70 10 33.72	221 55 40 315 09 17	Stout	41 57 56 135 13 51	6961.2 13364.6	7612.5 14615.1	4.33 8.30
South Wellfleet, Methodist meeting-house.	41 54 22.44	69 58 46.18	116 15 57 92 50 19	Griffin's Island	296 12 37 272 49 01	7664.3 2701.6	8381.4 2954.3	4.76 1.68
Fish-house, north gable	41 38 17.20	70 10 16.72	105 06 43 246 38 06	Blackfish Creek	285 05 41 66 39 43	2253.4 3674.3	2464.2 4018.1	1.40 2.28
<i>Narragansett Bay, R. I.</i>								
CONANICUT NORTH	41 34 22.64	71 21 58.91						
PINE HILL	41 37 58.27	71 20 14.80	19 55 44	Conanicut North	199 54 35	7075.2	7737.2	4.40
Quonsett, 1863	41 35 14.69	71 24 02.06	226 10 28 299 21 51	Pine Hill	46 12 59	7290.2	7972.3	4.53
Calf Pasture	41 37 38.43	71 23 58.03	335 26 42 263 13 29	Conanicut North	119 23 12	3273.3	3579.6	2.03
Sandy Point	41 39 41.12	71 24 16.16	353 40 17 258 00 04	Pine Hill	155 28 01 83 15 57	6639.9 5202.5	7261.2 5689.3	4.13 3.23
Green's Point	41 41 01.44	71 24 22.20	304 39 40 356 46 28	Calf Pasture	173 40 29 78 01 19	3808.0 2692.8	4164.3 2944.8	2.37 1.67
North Popasquash	41 40 52.43	71 17 51.23	75 21 47 31 44 17	Warwick light	124 41 00 176 46 32	3372.1 2481.6	3687.6 2713.8	2.10 1.54
Nayat light of 1863	41 43 28.48	71 20 00.84	26 53 05 328 05 26	Warwick light	255 18 47 211 42 42	6480.1 6316.2	7086.4 6907.2	4.03 3.92
Connimicut	41 42 59.52	71 21 08.41	310 40 43 240 13 11	Pine Hill	206 51 31 148 06 52	7235.6 5670.4	7912.6 6200.9	4.50 3.52
Babcock	41 42 42.19	71 18 03.75	97 09 20 355 06 51	Warwick light	130 42 54 60 13 56	6012.8 1799.3	6575.5 1967.7	3.74 1.12
Rumstick	41 42 21.88	71 17 46.71	123 32 53 2 10 07	Nayat light of 1863	277 07 17 175 06 59	4301.6 3398.4	4704.0 3716.4	2.67 2.11
Hall	41 43 09.90	71 16 44.52	64 50 14 19 59 30	North Popasquash	303 31 24 182 10 04	3719.2 2761.4	4067.2 3019.7	2.31 1.72
Stevens	41 44 42.00	71 22 35.03	327 39 16 271 04 06	Babcock	244 58 21 199 58 45	2020.9 4512.5	2210.0 4934.7	1.26 2.80
Sable Point	41 46 00.26	71 21 45.10	25 32 14 342 42 38	North Popasquash	147 40 14 91 05 00	3741.7 1869.4	4091.8 2044.3	2.32 1.16
				Stevens	205 31 41 163 42 59	2675.5 2551.7	2925.8 2790.5	1.66 1.59
				Bullock's Neck, 1863				

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Section I.—Narragansett Bay, R. I.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
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Pawtuxet	41 45 54.68	71 22 52.92	349 33 19 314 55 52	Stevens..... Bullock's Neck, 1863	169 33 31 134 56 57	2280.0 3224.0	2493.3 3525.7	1.42 2.00
Kettle Point	41 47 44.23	71 22 19.99	12 40 59 345 53 57	Pawtuxet..... Sable Point.....	192 40 37 165 54 21	3463.9 3307.1	3788.0 3616.6	2.15 2.05
North end of barn, on Hope Island.....	41 36 07.76	71 21 39.45	131 05 52 7 54 51	Calf Pasture..... Conanicut North.....	311 04 20 187 54 38	4256.2 3274.1	4654.5 3580.5	2.65 2.03
White House, north chimney.....	41 40 43.94	71 26 43.40	299 37 33 260 35 54	Sandy Point..... Green's Point.....	119 39 11 80 37 28	3918.3 3309.7	4285.0 3619.4	2.43 2.06
Yellow barn, cupola	41 40 59.62	71 26 52.61	303 46 25 269 03 48	Sandy Point..... Green's Point.....	123 48 09 89 05 28	4354.5 3479.3	4761.9 3804.9	2.71 2.16
Bullock's Neck, 1863.....	41 44 40.86	71 21 14.12	357 34 58 322 49 03	Conanicut..... Nayat light of 1863.....	177 35 02 142 49 52	3129.1 2802.3	3421.9 3064.5	1.94 1.74
Providence, High Street Church spire.....	41 49 03.64	71 24 55.22	319 53 51 304 20 49	Fort Independence..... Kettle Point.....	139 54 50 124 22 32	3683.1 4340.3	4027.7 4746.4	2.29 2.70
Vitriol Works, chimney	41 49 47.47	71 25 00.88	329 01 13 315 39 41	Fort Independence..... Kettle Point.....	149 02 25 135 41 28	4863.0 5314.3	5318.0 5811.6	3.02 3.30
Pawtuxet, Church spire, 1863	41 45 57.00	71 23 09.50	267 02 11 178 40 23	Sable Point..... Fort Independence.....	87 03 08 358 40 21	1951.5 2940.6	2134.1 3215.8	1.21 1.83
Buttonwood House	41 41 16.97	71 25 37.30	327 35 19 297 58 29	Sandy Point..... Warwick light.....	147 36 13 118 00 39	3502.0 5107.7	3829.7 5585.6	2.18 3.17
Vue de l'Eau Hotel.....	41 47 13.71	71 21 44.04	105 42 22 33 07 42	Fort Independence..... Pawtuxet.....	285 41 23 213 06 56	2120.3 2910.8	2318.7 3183.2	1.32 1.81
Starling Island, northeast gable of house.....	41 47 07.89	71 22 34.87	197 02 21 130 58 24	Kettle Point..... Fort Independence.....	17 02 31 310 57 59	1172.7 1149.0	1282.5 1256.5	0.73 0.71
Fox Point Rolling-mill, chimney.....	41 48 57.60	71 23 34.77	348 55 10 322 39 53	Fort Independence..... Kettle Point.....	168 55 25 142 40 43	2681.4 2846.6	2932.3 3112.9	1.67 1.77
Rocky Point Hotel, chimney.....	41 41 19.74	71 21 35.51	279 12 30 208 50 50	North Popasquash..... Nayat light of 1863.....	99 14 59 28 51 53	5254.7 4534.2	5746.3 4958.5	3.26 2.82
Yellow House, west chimney	41 43 39.71	71 19 02.16	75 40 39 342 22 03	Nayat light of 1863..... North Popasquash.....	255 40 00 162 22 50	1399.7 5414.7	1530.7 5921.3	0.87 3.36
Warren, Methodist church spire.....	41 43 46.61	71 16 41.65	83 05 27 16 40 17	Nayat light of 1863..... North Popasquash.....	263 03 14 196 39 31	4637.0 6133.8	5070.9 6133.8	2.88 3.48
Warren Beacon, (Allen's Rock).....	41 42 46.57	71 17 16.18	83 00 07 12 57 58	Babcock..... North Popasquash.....	262 59 35 192 57 35	1107.7 3612.7	1211.3 3950.8	0.69 2.24
Barn, white cupola	41 42 20.49	71 16 34.36	171 14 37 107 57 38	Hall..... Babcock.....	351 14 30 287 56 38	1541.9 2171.7	1686.2 2374.9	0.96 1.35
Brown's red house, cupola	41 45 02.32	71 23 03.18	284 42 33 225 15 01	Bullock's Neck, 1863	104 43 46	2604.7	2848.4	1.62
Quonsett, 1868	41 35 14.82	71 24 02.25	299 23 12 226 13 18	Sable Point..... Conanicut North.....	45 15 53 119 24 34	2538.9 3279.2	2776.4 3586.1	1.58 2.04
Hull.....	41 32 12.32	71 22 15.28	156 14 54 194 38 30	Pine Hill..... Pine Hill.....	46 15 49 14 39 50	7290.6 11030.6	7972.8 12062.8	4.53 6.85
Reynolds.....	41 33 43.33	71 26 31.18	230 42 00 259 05 38	Quonsett, 1868	50 43 39	4456.9	4873.9	2.77
Barber's Heights.....	41 31 42.63	71 25 07.17	152 24 30 192 56 06	Conanicut North..... Reynolds.....	79 08 39 332 23 34	6423.1 4202.1	7024.1 4595.3	3.99 2.61
Sherman's house, chimney.....	41 33 45.20	71 22 03.29	135 06 15 5 32 40	Quonsett, 1868	12 56 49	6715.7	7344.1	4.17
School-house, chimney.....	41 32 16.01	71 22 12.36	75 45 30 114 12 41	Quonsett, 1868	315 04 56	3903.3	4268.5	2.43
Barn, cupola, (Conanicut).....	41 32 06.46	71 22 16.01	79 30 49 116 49 57	Hull..... Barber's Heights.....	185 32 32 255 43 34	2878.3 4180.7	3147.6 4571.9	1.79 2.60
Potter's wind-mill, shaft.....	41 30 54.02	71 22 07.72	109 49 39 175 50 46	Reynolds..... Hull.....	294 09 49 355 50 41	6574.8 2420.5	7189.9 2646.9	4.08 1.50
Dutch Island, flag-staff.....	41 30 17.05	71 23 43.82	143 47 50 177 20 21	Barber's Heights..... Quonsett, 1868	259 28 56 357 20 09	4034.5 9195.4	4412.0 10055.8	2.51 5.71
Wickford Academy.....	41 34 04.47	71 27 00.29	242 13 38 313 59 27	Reynolds..... Reynolds.....	62 15 36 133 59 46	4659.4 938.2	5095.4 1026.0	2.90 0.58
Dutch Island light.....	41 29 45.99	71 23 56.25	155 26 27 179 12 54	Barber's Heights..... Quonsett, 1868	335 25 40 359 12 50	3955.1 10143.6	4325.2 11092.7	2.46 6.30

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Narragansett Church.....	41 29 31.37	71 25 12.54	188 44 04 219 36 03	Quonsett, 1868..... Hull.....	8 44 51 39 38 00	10719.1 6445.3	11722.1 7048.4	6.66 4.00
Wickford, Baptist church.....	41 34 17.37	71 26 44.42	244 43 45 334 43 28	Quonsett, 1868..... Barber's Heights.....	64 45 33 154 44 32	4153.6 5278.8	4542.2 5772.7	2.58 3.28
Fox Island, chimney.....	41 33 12.77	71 24 45.66	194 56 54 298 08 17	Quonsett, 1868..... Hull.....	14 57 23 118 09 57	3896.8 3952.6	4261.4 4322.4	2.42 2.46
Tefft's barn, cupola.....	41 31 30.67	71 25 14.02	193 30 55 203 17 04	Quonsett, 1868..... Barber's Heights.....	13 31 43 23 17 09	7111.3 401.8	7776.7 439.4	4.42 0.25
Hamilton's mill.....	41 32 55.28	71 25 56.15	220 11 31 211 29 40	Pine Hill..... Quonsett, 1868.....	40 15 18 31 30 56	12241.4 5048.7	13386.8 5521.1	7.61 3.14
Sanford's mill, chimney.....	41 33 03.70	71 26 32.56	284 51 55 321 38 04	Hull..... Barber's Heights.....	104 54 46 141 39 01	6169.5 3189.1	6746.8 3487.6	3.83 1.98
Fish-house, chimney.....	41 34 39.76	71 26 30.91	274 46 15 307 29 30	Conanicut North..... Hull.....	94 49 16 127 32 20	6322.9 7467.4	6914.6 8166.1	3.93 4.64
Smith's barn, cupola.....	41 35 57.85	71 25 02.08	330 56 32 304 40 11	Hull..... Conanicut North.....	150 58 23 124 42 13	7958.7 5159.6	8703.4 5642.4	4.95 3.21
Vaughn's house, cupola.....	41 34 23.41	71 27 24.77	251 18 10 314 52 16	Quonsett, 1868..... Reynolds.....	71 20 24 134 52 52	4951.4 1752.2	5414.7 1916.1	3.08 1.09
Green's barn, cupola.....	41 33 40.13	71 26 10.33	225 26 01 257 17 26	Quonsett, 1868..... Conanicut North.....	45 27 26 77 20 13	4163.5 5970.3	4553.0 6528.9	2.59 3.71
Browning's house, chimney.....	41 31 58.59	71 25 28.63	198 17 11 314 41 48	Quonsett, 1868..... Barber's Heights.....	18 18 08 134 42 02	6375.6 699.9	6972.1 763.4	3.96 0.43
Signal flag.....	41 35 29.94	71 25 21.25	293 52 37 357 20 06	Conanicut North..... Barber's Heights.....	113 54 51 177 20 15	5125.9 7019.8	5605.6 7676.6	3.18 4.36
Poor-house, northeast gable.....	41 35 19.76	71 24 29.81	283 27 05 331 39 41	Quonsett, 1868..... Hull.....	103 27 23 151 41 10	656.2 6568.6	717.6 7183.2	0.41 4.08
QUAKER.....	41 34 55.14	71 14 57.37						
MIANTONOMY.....	41 30 34.60	71 18 16.44	118.32 44	Hull.....	298 30 06	6300.4	6889.9	3.91
DUMPLIN.....	41 28 43.42	71 21 46.89	234 50 39 174 10 29	Miantonomy..... Hull.....	74 52 58 354 10 10	5069.0 6476.6	6527.5 7082.6	3.71 4.02
McSparran, 1869.....	41 29 15.57	71 27 03.43	235 51 05 254 36 00	Hull..... Dumplin.....	55 54 16 104 39 30	8069.9 7587.4	8825.0 8297.4	5.01 4.71
Meeting-house, 1869.....	41 26 40.97	71 28 12.67	195 44 47 247 04 48	McSparran, 1869..... Dumplin.....	15 45 33 67 09 03	5916.7 9715.6	6470.3 10624.7	3.68 6.04
Sugarloaf.....	41 26 02.78	71 30 19.15	213 26 12 248 07 18	McSparran, 1869..... Meeting-house, 1869.....	33 28 22 68 08 42	8237.5 3163.5	9008.3 3459.5	5.12 1.97
Telegraph Hill, 1869.....	41 27 15.03	71 19 50.70	157 53 01 202 38 26	Hull..... Miantonomy.....	337 51 25 22 39 28	8901.1 5674.4	9734.0 6205.3	5.53 3.53
Paradise Rock.....	41 30 03.21	71 15 24.53	55 23 48 103 44 23	Telegraph Hill, 1869..... Miantonomy.....	235 20 52 283 42 29	7502.4 4103.9	8204.4 4487.9	4.66 2.55
Prudence, 1869.....	41 36 19.99	71 18 20.82	299 02 29 359 27 42	Quaker..... Miantonomy.....	119 04 44 179 27 45	5389.8 10648.0	5894.1 11644.3	3.35 6.62
Church's Point, 1869.....	41 30 07.64	71 12 00.00	155 09 04 189 03 46	Quaker..... Windmill.....	335 07 06 9 04 06	9775.2 4488.3	10689.9 4908.3	6.07 2.79
Gibbs No. 2.....	41 29 37.28	71 16 07.42	231 09 06 56 15 22	Paradise Rock..... Telegraph Hill, 1869.....	51 09 34 236 12 54	1276.6 6229.9	1396.0 6812.8	0.79 3.87
Ocean House.....	41 28 50.99	71 18 09.66	177 10 09 49 03 14	Miantonomy..... Telegraph Hill, 1869.....	357 10 05 229 02 07	3205.9 3103.9	3505.9 3394.4	1.99 1.93
Fort Adams, flag-staff, 1869.....	41 28 43.61	71 19 59.33	153 55 17 89 53 15	Hull..... Dumplin.....	333 53 47 269 52 04	7168.3 2496.0	7839.1 2729.6	4.45 1.55
Andrew Potter's house, chimney.....	41 30 25.66	71 21 17.66	157 32 09 338 05 24	Hull..... Telegraph Hill, 1869.....	337 31 31 158 06 22	3494.5 5407.8	3821.5 5913.8	2.17 3.36
Beaver Tail Neck, west gable of barn.....	41 28 32.90	71 23 07.45	112 18 08 190 07 33	McSparran, 1869..... Hull.....	202 15 32 10 08 08	5915.5 6876.8	6469.0 7520.2	3.68 4.27
Coal Mine, middle chimney.....	41 37 05.65	71 16 05.87	43 14 23 64 48 07	Hull..... Prudence, 1869.....	223 10 18 244 46 37	12497.6 3453.7	13667.0 3776.8	7.77 2.15
Portsmouth Grove, flag-staff.....	41 35 10.76	71 16 52.77	53 39 21 136 18 59	Hull..... Prudence, 1869.....	233 35 47 316 18 01	9279.7 2252.1	10148.0 3228.3	5.77 1.83
Ben Hall's house, west chimney.....	41 35 06.02	71 16 20.31	129 17 40 279 54 44	Prudence, 1869..... Quaker.....	309 16 20 99 55 39	3604.4 1950.1	3941.6 2132.9	2.24 1.21

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North Windmill.....	41 35 13.79	71 14 55.00	5 20 26 267 44 20	Quaker	1 5 20 24	577.2	631.2	0.35
Anderson's barn, cupola.....	41 33 39.11	71 17 02.52	69 56 16 159 55 55	Wing.....	87 47 03	5693.9	6236.7	3.54
South Portsmouth, church tower	41 33 27.96	71 15 00.93	289 36 02 181 45 21	Hull.....	249 42 49	7725.0	8447.9	4.80
Episcopal church tower	41 32 48.05	71 15 21.36	83 29 08 275 28 05	Prudence, 1869.....	339 55 03	5283.7	5778.0	3.28
Gould Island, cupola of barn ...	41 31 59.78	71 20 20.12	98 15 48 312 26 27	Windmill.....	109 38 22	5201.9	5688.7	3.23
Fair-grounds, tower	41 31 14.35	71 16 06.87	101 51 45 335 53 41	Quaker	1 45 23	2690.1	2941.8	1.67
Beaver Tail light, 1869.....	41 26 55.67	71 23 38.68	217 56 31 137 49 45	Hull.....	263 24 34	9655.5	10558.9	6.00
Watson's house, chimney.....	41 28 20.16	71 25 44.80	48 17 34 145 19 04	Windmill.....	95 30 39	5398.5	5903.6	3.36
Dr. Potter's house, chimney	41 26 58.74	71 26 09.58	242 03 10 79 09 02	Hull.....	278 14 32	2697.1	2949.5	1.68
Dr. Wharton's house, east chimney.	41 24 54.46	71 26 55.62	151 26 37 178 50 37	Miantonomy.....	132 27 48	3284.4	4247.9	2.41
Hazard's Castle	41 24 52.92	71 27 07.51	226 15 44 115 51 48	Hull.....	281 47 41	8725.0	9541.4	5.42
Tefft's house, chimney.....	41 27 59.15	71 27 17.04	28 10 05 185 29 30	Paradise Rock.....	155 54 09	2403.2	2628.1	1.49
Wakefield, white spire	41 26 22.06	71 29 50.19	211 37 46 48 30 11	Dumplin.....	37 57 45	4216.3	4610.8	2.62
Wakefield, gray spire	41 26 23.39	71 29 30.08	253 11 27 60 50 22	McSparran, 1869.....	317 47 32	7073.6	7735.4	4.40
Kingston, spire.....	41 28 46.71	71 31 12.59	252 32 04 312 52 39	Meeting-house, 1869.....	228 15 56	4597.4	5027.6	2.86
Peirce's barn, cupola	41 25 31.88	71 28 29.86	110 35 49 190 36 15	McSparran, 1869.....	325 18 12	3204.6	3504.4	1.99
Rose Island, flag-staff.....	41 29 45.27	71 20 13.38	48 41 53 240 34 51	Dumplin.....	62 06 04	6897.5	7542.9	4.29
Belmont's house, cupola	41 27 49.91	71 18 01.55	221 30 35 107 33 00	Meeting-house, 1869.....	259 07 41	2908.9	3181.0	1.81
Bronson's house, flag-staff.....	41 27 49.52	71 21 07.34	274 26 39 151 06 12	Meeting-house, 1869.....	331 25 46	3741.1	4091.1	2.32
Bulch's house, north chimney...	41 28 58.24	71 15 59.99	67 08 42 202 16 52	McSparran, 1869.....	358 50 32	8982.1	9822.6	5.58
Sand Point light.....	41 36 26.65	71 18 09.37	302 24 16 0 52 13	Dumplin.....	46 19 16	10293.0	11256.1	6.40
Slate Hill, flag-staff.....	41 32 19.89	71 15 35.44	49 03 04 266 36 38	Sugarloaf.....	285 19 41	4943.8	5406.4	3.07
Four Corners, belfry.....	41 34 29.29	71 11 01.44	189 55 33 10 07 15	Meeting-house, 1869.....	208 09 28	2734.8	2990.6	1.70
Widow Potter's barn, cupola ...	41 33 15.74	71 11 56.06	126 08 53 335 48 36	McSparran, 1869.....	5 29 39	3228.5	3607.1	2.05
New York Club, flagstaff.....	41 26 58.50	71 11 38.10	97 12 07 137 20 43	McSparran, 1869.....	31 39 36	7374.5	8064.5	4.58
Fogland Point, north gable of house.	41 33 40.66	71 12 50.65	128 04 13 318 40 26	Sugarloaf.....	228 29 52	297.5	981.5	0.56
Griswold's barn, south cupola ..	41 32 56.45	71 13 59.80	224 41 05 282 31 48	Meeting-house, 1869.....	73 12 18	1877.0	2052.7	1.17
Portsmouth, belfry	41 36 11.13	71 14 32.68	226 37 09 327 56 12	Sugarloaf.....	240 49 49	1304.4	1426.4	0.81
Lawton's house, north flagstaff.	41 37 31.16	71 12 27.95	330 22 01 351 39 33	McSparran, 1869.....	72 34 49	6057.6	6624.4	3.76
Howland's barn, cupola	41 32 01.90	71 11 25.06	137 23 35 173 32 17	Meeting-house, 1869.....	132 54 38	5698.6	6231.8	3.54
				Sugarloaf.....	290 34 37	2710.3	2963.9	1.68
				Meeting-house, 1869.....	10 36 26	2168.3	2371.2	1.35
				Dumplin.....	228 40 51	2888.6	3158.9	1.79
				Miantonomy.....	60 36 08	3111.3	3402.4	1.93
				Paradise Rock.....	41 32 19	5493.1	6007.1	3.41
				Dumplin.....	2 7 30 31	5483.5	5996.6	3.41
				Telegraph Hill, 1869.....	94 27 30	1783.6	1950.5	1.11
				Dumplin.....	331 05 46	1900.4	2078.2	1.18
				Telegraph Hill, 1869.....	247 06 09	5809.4	6353.0	3.61
				Paradise Rock.....	22 17 15	2166.7	2369.4	1.35
				Quaker	122 26 23	5266.5	5759.2	3.27
				Miantonomy.....	180 52 08	10853.5	11869.0	6.74
				Miantonomy.....	229 01 17	4944.3	5406.9	3.07
				Windmill.....	8 29 21	5711.5	6215.9	3.55
				Wing.....	9 55 41	1619.7	1771.2	1.01
				Windmill.....	190 06 56	3696.7	4042.6	2.30
				Quaker	306 06 53	5200.0	5686.6	3.23
				Windmill.....	155 48 54	1502.5	1643.0	0.93
				Telegraph Hill, 1869.....	277 06 41	11521.1	12599.1	7.16
				Paradise Rock.....	317 18 13	7750.9	8476.2	4.82
				Quaker	308 02 49	3727.4	4076.2	2.32
				Windmill.....	138 41 20	2848.2	3114.7	1.77
				Wing.....	44 43 11	6273.7	6860.7	3.90
				Windmill.....	102 33 28	3569.2	3903.2	2.22
				Wing.....	106 39 37	5398.9	5904.0	3.35
				Windmill.....	147 58 14	7999.3	8747.8	4.97
				Wing.....	150 23 06	1619.6	1771.2	1.01
				Windmill.....	151 40 12	9347.6	10222.2	5.71
				Quaker	317 21 14	1263.4	1381.4	0.79
				Windmill.....	333 32 14	913.7	998.7	0.55

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NICKERSON	41 23 51.55	72 19 19.01						
MOUNT PARNASSUS	41 28 01.34	72 24 20.03	317 46 03	Nickerson	137 49 22	10492.4	11375.7	6.46
Long Hill	41 26 43.22	72 30 04.50	253 11 30 289 24 04	Mt. Parnassus	73 15 18	8349.3	9130.6	5.19
Emmons	41 32 04.12	72 31 47.18	305 47 48 346 27 47	Nickerson	109 31 11	15895.4	17382.7	9.88
Moodus	41 31 11.23	72 27 12.15	325 42 36 104 22 46	Mt. Parnassus	125 52 44	12791.3	13988.2	7.95
Thayer	41 31 53.62	72 34 46.74	325 36 57 265 32 09	Long Hill	166 28 55	10181.6	11134.2	6.33
Jones	41 27 57.06	72 27 12.00	179 57 50 359 11 58	Mt. Parnassus	145 44 30	7088.6	7751.9	4.40
Shaler	41 27 45.66	72 28 40.45	331 34 58 265 24 01	Emmons	284 19 44	6581.0	7196.8	4.09
Smith	41 30 29.80	72 00 34.86	254 46 23 302 46 56	Long Hill	145 40 04	11598.9	12684.2	7.21
Paphro	41 28 38.17	72 31 09.90	193 16 26 172 15 18	Emmons	85 34 08	4175.0	4565.7	2.59
Salmon	41 28 17.06	72 27 40.04	285 29 26 55 21 29	Moodus	359 57 50	5989.5	6549.9	3.72
Brainerd	41 29 16.23	72 31 15.49	202 32 42 171 55 38	Holt	179 12 00	4258.4	4656.9	2.65
Haddam Neck	41 28 53.07	72 29 07.93	342 57 41 302 42 13	Mt. Parnassus	151 35 58	4441.2	4856.7	2.76
Selden Neck	41 30 47.92	72 31 09.61	2 45 30 111 57 09	Emmons	85 26 53	6062.0	6629.2	3.77
Arnold's quarry	41 28 23.79	72 30 08.08	135 04 22 107 10 25	Moodus	74 48 37	4870.9	5326.7	3.03
Swan's Hill	41 30 06.76	72 33 11.47	208 21 01 300 05 05	Bald Hill	122 50 46	9618.7	10518.7	5.98
<i>Hudson River, N. Y., from New Baltimore to Albany.</i>				Smith	13 16 49	3538.6	3869.7	2.20
TRAYER	42 30 12.85	73 45 20.06		Emmons	352 14 53	6412.2	7012.2	3.98
MULL	42 30 01.56	73 46 48.40	260 11 59	Bald Hill	105 31 21	4181.9	4573.2	2.60
Ten Eyck, 1856	42 28 46.24	73 45 30.35	185 01 33 142 31 36	Shaler	235 20 49	1704.0	1863.5	1.06
Coeyman, 1856	42 28 20.99	73 47 07.64	250 39 53 188 03 45	Jones	22 33 09	2457.3	2687.2	1.53
Vanderzee	42 30 40.72	73 46 33.84	15 22 09 297 02 54	Emmons	351 55 17	5231.2	5720.7	3.25
Castleton	42 31 47.68	73 45 01.91	45 27 08 8 03 32	Shaler	162 58 00	2174.8	2378.2	1.35
Osterhout	42 31 33.09	73 46 26.11	6 13 44 256 48 25	Jones	122 43 29	3197.0	3496.2	1.99
Cedar Hill	42 32 49.76	73 45 19.69	32 39 12 348 02 19	Brainerd	182 45 26	2831.7	3096.7	1.76
Campbell	42 32 16.12	73 44 40.93	139 34 16 61 03 47	Thayer	291 54 45	5426.2	5933.9	3.37
South base	42 30 52.70	73 45 29.04	200 03 04 133 44 28	Thayer	315 01 17	9145.7	10001.4	5.68
North base	42 31 42.27	73 45 10.59	80 40 35 15 23 49	Paphro	287 09 43	1501.4	1641.8	0.93
Winnie's Point	42 33 16.40	73 45 06.06	342 52 15 268 00 12	Emmons	28 21 57	4114.1	4499.1	2.56
Van Wie	42 33 51.91	73 44 58.42	9 02 49 302 06 53	Brainerd	120 06 22	3108.8	3399.7	1.93
Miller	42 34 03.51	73 43 59.55	75 05 06 347 44 48					
TRAYER	42 30 12.85	73 45 20.06						
MULL	42 30 01.56	73 46 48.40	260 11 59					
Ten Eyck, 1856	42 28 46.24	73 45 30.35	185 01 33 142 31 36					
Coeyman, 1856	42 28 20.99	73 47 07.64	250 39 53 188 03 45					
Vanderzee	42 30 40.72	73 46 33.84	15 22 09 297 02 54					
Castleton	42 31 47.68	73 45 01.91	45 27 08 8 03 32					
Osterhout	42 31 33.09	73 46 26.11	6 13 44 256 48 25					
Cedar Hill	42 32 49.76	73 45 19.69	32 39 12 348 02 19					
Campbell	42 32 16.12	73 44 40.93	139 34 16 61 03 47					
South base	42 30 52.70	73 45 29.04	200 03 04 133 44 28					
North base	42 31 42.27	73 45 10.59	80 40 35 15 23 49					
Winnie's Point	42 33 16.40	73 45 06.06	342 52 15 268 00 12					
Van Wie	42 33 51.91	73 44 58.42	9 02 49 302 06 53					
Miller	42 34 03.51	73 43 59.55	75 05 06 347 44 48					

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Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Welch.....	42 34 36.31	73 45 04.92	353 49 32 304 09 51	Van Wie.....	173 49 36 1377.7	1506.6	0.86	
				Miller.....	124 10 35 1801.6	1970.1	1.12	
Van Rensselaer.....	42 35 43.32	73 44 11.42	30 32 36 354 58 36	Welch.....	210 32 00 2400.5	2625.1	1.49	
				Miller.....	174 58 44 3091.3	3380.5	1.93	
Wendell.....	42 35 58.00	73 45 44.88	340 07 32 252 00 03	Welch.....	160 07 59 2680.3	2931.1	1.67	
				Van Rensselaer.....	102 01 06 2178.1	2381.9	1.35	
Papscanee.....	42 36 46.57	73 45 04.08	31 49 31 328 24 20	Wendell.....	211 49 03 1763.6	1928.6	1.10	
				Van Rensselaer.....	148 24 56 2291.2	2505.6	1.42	
Corning.....	42 36 52.35	73 45 55.70	351 37 56 278 36 25	Wendell.....	171 38 03 1694.7	1853.2	1.05	
				Papscanee.....	98 37 00 1189.8	1301.1	0.74	
Mole.....	42 37 27.80	73 45 17.66	38 23 45 346 19 28	Corning.....	218 23 19 1395.7	1526.3	0.87	
				Papscanee.....	166 19 37 1309.2	1431.7	0.81	
Crouts.....	42 37 28.10	73 44 15.13	89 38 36 41 02 54	Mole.....	269 37 54 1424.8	1558.1	0.89	
				Papscanee.....	221 02 21 1698.6	1857.5	1.06	
Westerlo.....	42 38 05.00	73 45 02.00	16 14 28 316 14 07	Mole.....	196 14 18 1195.3	1307.1	0.74	
				Crouts.....	136 14 39 1576.4	1723.9	0.98	
Beacon East.....	42 35 07.64	73 44 52.79	15 55 12 220 33 55	Welch.....	195 55 04 1006.1	1100.3	0.63	
				Van Rensselaer.....	40 34 23 1449.7	1585.3	0.90	
Old Wharf.....	42 31 39.23	73 45 42.86	254 24 34 79 08 08	Castleton.....	74 25 02 970.1	1060.9	0.60	
				Osterhout.....	259 07 39 1005.1	1099.2	0.62	
Borden.....	42 29 48.49	73 46 42.42	319 23 57 248 12 27	Ten Eyck, 1856.....	139 24 46 2529.0	2765.6	1.57	
				Traver.....	68 13 23 2024.8	2214.2	1.26	
Island.....	42 31 14.11	73 45 42.61	120 31 58 221 52 46	Osterhout.....	300 31 29 1152.7	1260.6	0.72	
				Castleton.....	41 53 14 1391.1	1521.3	0.86	
Talmadge.....	42 30 56.11	73 45 59.80	218 15 29 219 42 23	North base.....	38 16 02 1813.6	1983.3	1.13	
				Castleton.....	39 43 02 2068.1	2261.6	1.29	
Clapper.....	42 30 59.22	73 45 30.69	199 02 54 203 42 40	North base.....	19 03 08 1405.2	1536.7	0.87	
				Castleton.....	23 42 59 1633.2	1786.0	1.02	
Eln Tree.....	42 30 48.42	73 45 46.04	205 57 35 208 50 33	North base.....	25 57 59 1847.8	2020.7	1.15	
				Castleton.....	28 51 03 2087.3	2282.6	1.30	
Broom.....	42 31 18.56	73 45 55.11	122 21 37 338 27 46	Osterhout.....	302 21 16 837.6	916.0	0.52	
				Traver.....	158 28 10 2179.7	2383.6	1.35	
Shad Island.....	42 30 35.31	73 46 18.99	218 13 19 341 43 55	Castleton.....	38 14 11 2842.5	3108.4	1.77	
				Ten Eyck, 1856.....	161 44 28 3543.6	3875.1	2.20	
Herrick.....	42 30 16.90	73 46 05.28	138 25 24 64 19 24	Vanderzee.....	318 25 05 982.5	1074.4	0.61	
				Mull.....	244 18 55 1092.1	1194.3	0.68	
McAllister.....	42 29 54.39	73 46 17.89	202 30 41 107 37 57	Herrick.....	22 30 50 751.9	822.3	0.47	
				Mull.....	287 37 36 799.1	879.1	0.45	
Slate.....	42 30 22.63	73 46 28.93	217 06 45 335 46 30	Castleton.....	37 07 44 3291.0	3598.9	2.04	
				Ten Eyck, 1856.....	155 47 10 3260.7	3565.8	2.03	
Mull Plat.....	42 29 20.32	73 46 39.17	170 36 30 303 46 28	Mull.....	350 36 24 1289.7	1410.4	0.80	
				Ten Eyck, 1856.....	123 47 15 1290.8	2067.7	1.17	
Boulder.....	42 29 04.72	73 46 58.98	187 51 09 227 03 09	Mull.....	7 51 16 1770.3	1935.9	1.10	
				Traver.....	47 04 16 3085.2	3373.9	1.92	
Mull Cove.....	42 29 19.87	73 46 57.44	297 32 28 233 40 19	Ten Eyck, 1856.....	117 33 27 2243.1	2453.0	1.39	
				Traver.....	53 41 25 2759.4	3017.6	1.71	
Flat Point.....	42 28 16.91	73 46 50.33	209 56 42 243 37 44	Traver.....	29 57 43 4128.3	4514.6	2.57	
				Ten Eyck, 1856.....	63 38 38 2038.6	2229.3	1.27	
Crann.....	42 27 18.34	73 46 57.59	278 04 39 216 17 53	Reed.....	98 05 27 1628.4	1780.8	1.01	
				Ten Eyck, 1856.....	36 18 52 3365.6	3680.5	2.09	
Barren Island, south, 1856.....	42 27 49.50	73 46 49.53	225 55 20 10 51 01	Ten Eyck, 1856.....	45 56 13 2517.1	2752.7	1.56	
				Crann.....	190 50 56 978.8	1070.4	0.61	
Vyde Hook.....	42 27 40.36	73 46 25.26	116 57 57 316 06 51	Barren Isl'd, south, 1856.....	296 57 41 621.9	680.1	0.39	
				Reed.....	136 07 17 1260.2	1378.1	0.78	
Red Pole, west.....	42 25 52.82	73 46 43.64	177 51 33 173 06 37	Barren Isl'd, south, 1856.....	357 51 29 3602.3	3939.3	2.24	
				Crann.....	353 06 28 2657.7	2906.4	1.65	
Coeyman's Beacon.....	42 28 31.34	73 46 45.00	211 45 51 178 24 36	Traver.....	31 46 48 3683.7	4028.3	2.29	
				Mull.....	358 24 34 2784.8	3045.3	1.73	
New Baltimore beacon.....	42 27 02.99	73 46 43.04	259 10 38 207 31 17	Reed.....	79 11 16 1302.9	1424.8	0.81	
				Ten Eyck, 1856.....	27 32 06 3592.4	3928.5	2.23	

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	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
New Baltimore signal	42 26 22.68	73 46 49.89	223 58 43 180 10 36	Reed	43 59 25	2068.4	2261.9	1.29
Willow Point	42 32 55.60	73 44 57.02	246 23 31 178 56 44	Barren Isl'd, south, 1856.	0 10 36	2678.6	2929.2	1.66
Staats	42 34 13.70	73 44 41.25	30 13 42 323 40 52	Thorp	66 24 19	1760.1	1924.8	1.09
Smith's Island, north	42 33 28.74	73 44 42.53	54 39 37 153 07 13	Van Wie	358 56 43	1737.6	1900.2	1.08
Smith's Island, south	42 32 36.87	73 44 59.71	8 22 55 1 53 53	Van Wie	210 13 30	778.0	850.7	0.49
Richardson	42 34 19.14	73 45 02.90	354 08 45 229 21 37	Thorp	143 41 29	2115.6	2313.5	1.31
Pixitaway	42 33 48.92	73 44 35.05	99 50 13 35 11 00	Winnie's Point	234 39 21	652.2	719.8	0.41
Bontell	42 32 59.17	73 44 33.78	160 57 10 125 49 25	Van Wie	333 07 02	801.5	876.5	0.50
Sill	42 32 11.73	73 45 30.46	333 29 07 318 42 51	North base	188 22 48	1702.9	1862.3	1.06
Cow Island beacon	42 32 14.40	73 45 01.72	56 30 37 82 50 06	Castleton	181 53 52	1512.7	1660.8	0.94
Scammerhann	42 31 47.29	73 45 28.06	268 51 01 175 50 29	Van Wie	174 08 48	844.5	923.5	0.52
Tide gauge	42 31 53.06	73 45 07.77	132 02 56 68 58 42	Staats	109 21 51	506.4	553.8	0.31
Lower Red	42 31 29.58	73 45 48.50	338 40 52 242 16 45	Van Wie	979 49 57	540.8	591.4	0.34
Upper Red	42 31 54.30	73 45 36.02	284 42 31 193 16 19	Winnie's Point	215 10 39	1227.6	1342.5	0.76
Camp	42 32 38.41	73 44 43.01	52 45 04 112 42 16	Van Wie	840 56 53	1721.6	1882.6	1.07
Thorp 2	42 33 34.81	73 44 20.33	208 09 33 61 26 23	Winnie's Point	305 49 03	908.2	993.2	0.56
Van Wie's wharf	42 34 44.63	73 44 59.20	313 00 13 211 01 50	North base	153 29 00	1015.8	1110.8	0.63
Marsh	42 34 46.45	73 44 42.95	202 16 52 147 24 34	Castleton	138 43 10	787.4	1079.8	0.61
Bear Point	42 33 41.79	73 45 02.46	244 57 41 5 59 41	Oosterhout	236 29 40	2309.3	2525.4	1.44
Dow	42 37 22.68	73 44 56.77	55 07 44 108 21 40	Sill	262 49 47	661.0	722.9	0.41
Rock	42 35 09.73	73 45 13.95	233 58 34 154 40 14	Castleton	88 51 19	596.8	652.6	0.37
Cooper	42 35 18.43	73 45 00.38	235 28 08 140 17 30	Sill	355 50 27	753.9	826.7	0.47
Wand	42 34 53.81	73 45 04.60	218 26 30 155 08 00	Sill	318 02 41	774.5	846.9	0.48
Wall	42 35 30.01	73 45 20.77	341 44 28 147 31 50	Scammerhann	248 58 28	496.0	542.4	0.31
Stone	42 35 52.61	73 45 26.83	344 23 40 279 27 43	South base	158 41 05	1221.4	1335.7	0.76
Brown	42 35 54.39	73 45 10.91	355 36 14 284 08 23	Castleton	62 17 16	1201.6	1313.4	0.75
Hall	42 36 13.29	73 45 14.33	141 58 00 55 53 26	Castleton	104 42 54	804.7	880.0	0.50
Pond	42 36 29.04	73 45 29.00	226 23 35 308 34 37	Sill	13 16 23	552.4	604.1	0.34
Beacon Island	42 36 00.05	73 45 28.82	201 26 31 344 53 00	Winn	232 44 32	1360.0	1487.2	0.85
Blunt	42 34 17.29	73 43 50.90	109 10 41 63 03 22	Cedar Hill	292 41 51	907.0	991.9	0.56
				Miller	28 09 47	1004.3	1098.3	0.62
				Winnie's Point	241 25 52	1188.0	1299.1	0.74
				Miller	133 00 53	1860.2	2034.2	1.16
				Van Rensselaer	31 02 22	2113.0	2290.7	1.31
				Van Rensselaer	22 17 13	1896.1	2073.5	1.18
				Wendell	327 23 53	2630.5	2865.7	1.63
				Miller	64 58 23	1583.5	1731.6	0.98
				Winnie's Point	185 59 39	987.8	1071.5	0.49
				Corning	235 07 04	1636.7	1789.8	1.02
				Mole	288 21 26	501.5	548.4	0.31
				Van Rensselaer	53 59 16	1762.4	1927.3	1.10
				Wendell	334 39 53	1648.0	1802.2	1.02
				Van Rensselaer	55 28 41	1354.9	1481.7	0.84
				Wendell	320 17 00	1998.5	2185.5	1.24
				Van Rensselaer	38 27 06	1950.2	2132.7	1.21
				Wendell	335 07 33	2387.3	2613.3	1.36
				Wand	161 44 39	1176.1	1286.2	0.73
				Wendell	327 31 34	1023.7	1112.4	0.64
				Wand	164 23 55	1883.4	2059.6	1.17
				Van Rensselaer	79 28 34	1742.7	1905.8	1.08
				Wand	175 36 18	1874.6	2050.0	1.16
				Van Rensselaer	104 09 03	1398.5	1529.4	0.87
				Corning	321 57 32	1530.0	1673.2	0.95
				Wendell	235 53 05	841.0	919.7	0.52
				Papscanee	46 23 52	784.3	857.7	0.49
				Van Rensselaer	128 35 30	2262.1	2473.8	1.41
				Papscanee	21 26 48	1542.4	1686.7	0.96
				Wand	164 53 16	2116.7	2314.7	1.32
				Welch	289 09 51	1786.9	1954.1	1.11
				Van Wie	243 02 36	1727.4	1889.0	1.07

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Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Henry.....	42 37 05.27	73 45 16.62	65 52 41 333 38 03	Corning.....	245 52 15	975.6	1066.9	0.61
				Papscanee.....	153 38 12	643.9	704.2	0.40
Todd.....	42 37 45.34	73 44 43.30	143 31 32 55 21 21	Westerlo.....	323 31 19	754.4	825.0	0.47
				Mole.....	235 20 58	951.5	1040.5	0.59
Greenbush Station.....	42 38 04.48	73 44 40.66	91 47 26 5 48 58	Westerlo.....	271 47 11	508.9	556.5	0.32
				Todd.....	185 48 56	593.8	649.4	0.37
West.....	42 37 59.85	73 44 59.89	313 50 57 319 50 02	Crouts.....	133 51 27	1414.3	1546.6	0.88
				Todd.....	139 50 13	586.0	640.9	0.36
Small Island.....	42 37 42.52	73 45 07.82	357 10 18 290 19 43	Papscanee.....	177 10 21	1728.1	1889.8	1.07
				Crouts.....	110 20 19	1280.2	1400.0	0.80
Bogart Island.....	42 37 11.08	73 45 15.64	57 39 57 319 50 02	Corning.....	237 39 30	1080.4	1181.5	0.67
				Small Island.....	10 24 41	986.1	1078.4	0.61
Old railroad depot, east gable end.	42 38 09.24	73 44 54.33	20 25 51 4 58 29	Small Island.....	200 25 42	880.0	962.3	0.55
				Papscanee.....	184 58 23	2560.2	2799.7	1.59

Section III.—Potomac River.

GEORGE No. 1.....	38 06 07.97	76 27 55.18						
LYNCH'S POINT.....	38 02 41.63	76 30 47.36	213 23 43	George No. 1.....	33 25 29	7620.6	8333.7	4.74
Mundy's Point Poplar.....	38 01 13.61	76 32 22.47	220 30 42 167 35 16	Lynch's Point.....	40 31 40	3569.7	3903.7	2.22
				Horn Point.....	347 35 11	253.1	932.9	0.53
Piney Point, light-house signal..	38 08 03.39	76 31 29.27	3 54 36 304 17 34	Sandy Point.....	183 54 24	6776.7	7410.8	4.21
				George No. 1.....	124 19 46	6312.8	6903.5	3.92
Tower Hill.....	38 12 19.18	76 34 26.09	24 56 34 331 21 41	Ragged Point.....	204 55 20	6972.3	7624.7	4.33
				Piney Pt. L. H. signal ..	151 23 31	8983.7	9824.3	5.58
Old Cole.....	38 09 09.64	76 37 35.08	282 53 01 218 11 20	Piney Pt. L. H. signal ..	102 56 47	9137.8	9992.8	5.68
				Tower Hill.....	38 13 17	7436.3	8132.1	4.62
New Cole.....	38 09 09.58	76 37 34.83	282 52 51 218 08 34	Piney Pt. L. H. signal ..	102 56 37	9131.3	9985.7	5.67
				Tower Hill.....	38 10 30	7434.1	8129.7	4.62
Cupola.....	38 13 28.79	76 38 39.14	289 12 21 348 55 05	Tower Hill.....	109 14 57	6519.0	7128.9	4.05
				New Cole.....	168 55 45	8142.6	8904.5	5.06
Blue Sow.....	38 13 59.80	76 42 00.42	285 38 39 324 08 26	Tower Hill.....	105 43 20	11478.0	12551.9	7.13
				New Cole.....	144 11 10	11036.7	12069.4	6.86
Copsico.....	38 09 28.25	76 41 13.49	276 09 21 172 14 15	New Cole.....	96 11 36	5353.9	5854.9	3.33
				Blue Sow.....	352 13 46	8449.6	9240.2	5.25
Blakiston's light-house pole.....	38 12 22.94	76 44 24.00	229 26 53 319 15 54	Blue Sow.....	49 28 22	4595.2	5025.2	2.86
				Copsico.....	139 17 51	7106.4	7771.3	4.42
Blakiston's light-house, center..	38 12 23.00	76 44 24.00						
Hollis.....	38 09 37.23	76 44 29.33	181 27 22 273 18 32	Blakiston's L. H. pole...	1 27 25	5110.7	5588.9	3.18
				Copsico.....	93 20 33	4775.3	5222.1	2.97
Pawpaw.....	38 15 45.42	76 39 03.71	51 19 05 351 55 19	Blakiston's L. H. pole...	231 15 46	9981.6	10915.5	6.20
				Cupola.....	171 55 34	4254.7	4652.8	2.64
Nun's Oak.....	38 14 16.79	76 39 29.91	63 53 32 320 09 07	Blakiston's L. H. pole...	243 50 30	7967.8	8713.3	4.95
				Cupola.....	140 09 39	1927.9	2108.3	1.20
Lover's Point.....	38 15 29.84	76 38 25.71	297 28 19 34 44 07	Pawpaw.....	297 27 55	1040.6	1138.0	0.65
				Nun's Oak.....	214 43 27	2740.1	2996.5	1.70
Mulberry Point.....	38 16 06.11	76 38 20.22	58 53 18 6 49 03	Pawpaw.....	238 52 51	1234.5	1350.0	0.77
				Lover's Point.....	186 49 00	1125.9	1231.3	0.70
Society Hill.....	38 15 33.19	76 39 37.67	245 27 20 273 21 58	Pawpaw.....	65 27 41	907.6	992.5	0.56
				Lover's Point.....	93 22 43	1752.0	1915.9	1.09
St. Patrick.....	38 14 09.88	76 43 57.80	10 56 27 276 11 45	Blakiston's L. H. pole...	190 56 11	3358.2	3672.5	2.09
				Blue Sow.....	96 12 58	2871.2	3139.8	1.78
Long Point.....	38 14 23.57	76 43 02.08	28 11 06 72 42 32	Blakiston's L. H. pole...	208 10 15	4219.1	4613.9	2.62
				St. Patrick.....	252 41 58	1419.0	1551.7	0.88
Bluff Woods.....	38 15 13.50	76 42 58.81	36 10 40 2 57 16	St. Patrick.....	216 10 03	2429.8	2657.1	1.51
				Long Point.....	182 57 14	1541.7	1686.0	0.96

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	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Chapel Point	38 15 26.50	76 42 08.26	34 00 07 71 56 57	Long Point	213 59 34	2340.3	2559.2	1.45
				Bluff Woods	251 56 26	1292.7	1413.7	0.80
Shipping Point	38 15 53.89	76 42 31.49	28 04 36 326 14 06	Bluff Woods	208 04 19	1411.4	1543.4	0.88
				Chapel Point	146 14 20	1016.1	1111.2	0.63
Howard's Point	38 16 12.22	76 42 17.75	350 42 03 30 34 38	Chapel Point	170 42 09	1428.6	1562.3	0.89
				Shipping Point	210 34 29	636.3	717.7	0.41
Rocky Point	38 16 51.52	76 42 16.71	11 26 07 1 12 24	Shipping Point	191 25 58	1812.6	1982.2	1.13
				Howard's Point	181 12 23	1211.9	1325.3	0.75
Old Windmill Point	38 17 10.02	76 42 42.18	353 41 13 312 39 42	Shipping Point	173 41 20	2361.3	2582.2	1.47
				Rocky Point	132 39 58	841.6	920.3	0.52
Guess Point	38 17 41.44	76 42 37.37	341 56 09 6 52 58	Rocky Point	161 56 22	1619.0	1770.4	1.01
				Old Windmill Point	186 52 55	975.7	1067.0	0.61
Long Bar	38 18 10.49	76 43 05.22	343 16 57 322 55 20	Old Windmill Point	163 17 11	1946.4	2128.5	1.21
				Guess Point	142 55 37	1122.5	1227.5	0.70
Potomac	38 08 53.86	76 36 26.66	139 18 03 204 51 43	Blue Sow	319 14 37	12446.8	13611.4	7.73
				Tower Hill	24 52 58	6976.8	7629.6	4.34
Lower Machadoc	38 09 09.25	76 37 33.73	144 06 15 217 56 06	Blue Sow	324 03 30	11061.3	12096.3	6.87
				Tower Hill	37 58 02	7425.5	8120.3	4.61
Upper Machadoc	38 08 47.90	76 39 36.21	159 57 52 229 10 40	Blue Sow	339 56 23	10236.7	11194.5	6.36
				Tower Hill	49 13 52	9969.5	10902.3	6.19
Glebe Creek	38 08 00.12	76 38 50.17	142 43 45 41 07 09	Upper Machadoc	322 43 16	1851.1	2024.3	1.15
				Lower Machadoc	41 07 56	2229.5	3094.3	1.76
Bluff Point	38 08 04.55	76 37 55.37	84 09 06 118 33 47	Glebe Creek	264 08 32	1341.4	1466.9	0.83
				Upper Machadoc	298 32 45	2795.3	3056.9	1.74
Small white house, east chimney	38 07 28.27	76 37 39.62	119 45 29 130 51 27	Glebe Creek	299 44 45	1978.7	2163.8	1.23
				Upper Machadoc	310 50 15	3753.0	4104.2	2.33
White two-story house, east chimney.	38 07 10.26	76 37 47.74	135 19 05 173 40 01	Glebe Creek	315 18 27	2161.9	2364.2	1.34
				Bluff Point	353 39 56	1684.1	1841.7	1.05
Herring Pond	38 09 28.90	76 40 59.91	241 15 19 170 00 30	Tower Hill	61 19 23	10927.3	11949.8	6.79
				Blue Sow	349 59 52	8480.8	9274.4	5.27
Nomini Hill	38 10 03.52	76 47 04.49	225 24 50 276 49 34	Blue Sow	45 27 58	10382.3	11353.8	6.45
				Herring Pond	96 53 19	8938.2	9774.6	5.55
Chantilly	38 09 37.28	76 44 29.36	204 06 16 272 52 55	Blue Sow	24 07 48	8867.9	9697.6	5.51
				Herring Pond	92 55 04	5104.8	5582.4	3.17
Currioman	38 09 30.91	76 41 50.59	92 55 26 97 31 29	Chantilly	272 53 48	3669.7	4231.8	2.40
				Nomini Hill	277 28 15	7706.7	8427.8	4.79
Ellis	38 13 28.23	76 45 31.93	259 15 54 19 38 45	Blue Sow	79 18 05	5234.9	5724.8	3.25
				Nomini Hill	199 37 48	6701.1	7328.1	4.16
St. Margaret Island	38 14 58.24	76 48 23.20	303 39 42 348 05 41	Ellis	123 41 28	5004.5	5472.7	3.11
				Nomini Hill	168 06 30	9285.9	10154.8	5.77
Bluff	38 15 15.47	76 50 17.56	280 48 15 333 57 22	St. Margaret Island	100 49 26	2830.6	3095.5	1.76
				Nomini Hill	153 59 22	10703.1	11704.6	6.65
Pope's Creek	38 11 56.20	76 54 39.35	238 26 20 225 59 59	St. Margaret Island	58 30 13	10732.5	11736.7	6.67
				Bluff	46 02 41	8847.3	9675.2	5.50
Piney Point light	38 08 03.41	76 31 29.22	151 22 59 102 08 47	Tower Hill	331 21 10	8983.7	9824.3	5.58
				Potomac	282 05 44	7407.5	8100.6	4.60
Fisher's Point	38 04 23.97	76 31 48.56	140 52 32 183 59 11	Potomac	320 49 40	10729.5	11733.5	6.67
				Piney Point light	3 59 23	6781.7	7416.3	4.21
St. Mary	38 06 06.85	76 28 13.99	58 46 44 127 05 53	Fisher's Point	238 44 32	6115.4	6687.6	3.80
				Piney Point light	307 03 53	5960.3	6518.0	3.70
Yeocomico	38 02 39.22	76 30 46.71	154 58 30 210 09 47	Fisher's Point	334 57 52	3564.3	3897.8	2.21
				St. Mary	30 11 21	7404.5	8097.3	4.60
Lower Potomac	38 00 39.12	76 27 20.21	136 40 33 126 20 32	Fisher's Point	316 37 48	9532.4	10424.3	5.92
				Yeocomico	306 18 25	6250.2	6835.0	3.88
Three Pines	38 03 10.28	76 21 00.52	63 18 50 117 17 55	Lower Potomac	243 14 56	10365.2	11335.1	6.44
				St. Mary	297 13 28	11883.8	12995.8	7.38
Cubitt's Creek	37 56 57.03	76 20 49.22	125 41 51 178 37 42	Lower Potomac	305 37 50	11743.3	12842.1	7.30
				Three Pines	358 37 35	11510.3	12587.3	7.15
Ragged Point Tree	38 08 54.04	76 36 26.91	139 18 18 106 05 29	Blue Sow	319 14 52	12438.5	13602.4	7.73
				Lower Machadoc	286 04 48	1692.9	1851.3	1.05
Lonesome house, south chimney.	38 08 35.75	76 40 11.07	230 36 19 246 10 30	Tower Hill	50 39 52	10859.6	11875.7	6.75
				Upper Machadoc	66 10 52	927.5	1014.3	0.58

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	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Chantilly House, south chimney	38 09 08.70	76 45 28.01	249 54 48 262 36 34	Tower Hill	70 01 37	17145.4	18749.7	10.65
				Currioman	82 38 48	5336.7	5836.0	3.32
Clinton Dean's house, southeast chimney.	38 08 58.62	76 31 57.11	88 43 37 92 19 13	Potomac	268 41 43	6564.1	7178.3	4.08
				Lower Machadoc	272 15 45	8201.7	8969.2	5.10
Hollis' shed, chimney	38 09 41.98	76 44 35.40	168 51 04 205 21 47	Ellis	348 50 29	7109.6	7774.8	4.42
				Blue Sow	25 23 23	8797.7	9620.9	5.47
Cliff Flag	38 10 09.36	76 51 12.58	204 48 46 188 04 05	St. Margaret Island	24 50 31	9812.9	10731.1	6.10
				Bluff	8 04 39	9531.4	10423.2	5.92
Colton's house, southeast chimney.	38 13 16.98	76 44 50.01	252 14 03 28 45 37	Blue Sow	72 15 48	4330.4	4735.6	2.69
				Nomini Hill	208 44 14	6803.1	7439.7	4.23
Huggins' Point, flag	38 13 52.30	76 40 58.07	51 40 43 98 41 15	Nomini Hill	231 36 56	11367.7	12431.3	7.06
				Blue Sow	278 40 36	1533.9	1677.5	0.95
Robert Coomb's house, south chimney.	38 13 59.95	76 39 56.54	10 27 34 55 02 26	Herring Pond	190 26 55	8497.6	9292.7	5.28
				Nomini Hill	234 58 01	12709.6	13898.8	7.90
Abel's house, south apex	38 13 26.03	76 37 10.12	37 25 41 66 42 10	Herring Pond	217 23 19	9205.6	10066.9	5.72
				Nomini Hill	246 36 03	15750.2	17223.9	9.79
Thomas Hobbs' quarters, chimney.	38 12 22.33	76 34 31.09	23 38 46 60 33 49	Potomac	203 37 35	7016.1	7632.6	4.36
				Herring Pond	240 29 49	10867.6	11884.5	6.75
Long house, south chimney	38 11 54.94	76 33 43.82	47 37 27 80 04 10	Lower Machadoc	227 35 05	7574.3	8283.0	4.71
				Nomini Hill	259 55 55	19784.4	21635.6	12.29
Fishing Point, flag	38 08 18.20	76 42 42.91	133 15 40 209 36 21	Chantilly	313 14 34	3557.9	3890.8	2.21
				Currioman	29 36 53	2578.1	2819.4	1.60
Island House, chimney	38 14 58.58	76 48 19.82	100 19 27 348 36 20	Bluff	280 18 14	2909.3	3181.5	1.81
				Nomini Hill	168 37 07	9279.4	10147.7	5.77
St. Catharine, tree	38 14 15.80	76 47 40.25	67 08 45 115 41 03	Pope's Creek	247 04 26	11064.7	12100.0	6.87
				Bluff	295 40 26	4244.0	4641.1	2.64
Washington's birth place, (Wakefield,) east chimney.	38 12 15.69	76 56 15.56	237 29 09 246 23 28	Bluff	57 32 51	10320.5	11286.1	6.41
				St. Margaret Island	66 28 20	12533.5	13706.2	7.79
Mattox Creek House, southeast chimney.	38 12 49.61	76 57 28.11	246 43 10 253 17 33	Bluff	66 47 36	11394.7	12460.9	7.08
				St. Margaret Island	73 23 10	13832.0	15126.3	8.59
Daniel Blakiston's, southwest chimney.	38 13 47.01	76 46 29.19	128 23 50 116 10 38	St. Margaret Island	308 22 39	3536.5	3867.4	2.20
				Bluff	296 08 17	6186.2	6765.1	3.84
Fisherman's shed, west apex	38 10 14.28	66 52 07.65	211 55 53 238 07 23	St. Margaret Island	31 58 12	10317.6	11283.0	6.41
				Ellis	58 11 28	11333.6	12394.0	7.04
Lone locust tree	38 11 56.40	76 54 43.59	238 45 06 226 29 22	St. Margaret Island	58 49 01	10817.0	11829.2	6.72
				Bluff	46 32 07	8917.7	9752.1	5.54
Hawk's Nest	38 03 12.61	76 21 02.87	62 48 56 353 21 05	Lower Potomac	242 45 04	10346.5	11314.6	6.43
				Cubitt's Creek	178 21 13	11583.8	12667.7	7.20
Hull Creek House, north chimney.	37 57 23.22	76 23 08.68	134 33 39 196 16 38	Lower Potomac	314 31 04	8610.5	9416.1	5.35
				Three Pines	16 17 57	11147.1	12190.2	6.93
West Pine	38 00 41.68	76 27 23.46	136 41 53 173 00 01	Fisher's Point	316 39 10	9420.5	10301.9	5.85
				St. Mary	352 59 30	10100.2	11045.3	6.28
Coan River	37 59 24.67	76 26 22.83	148 37 42 228 28 02	Lower Potomac	328 37 07	2688.4	2940.0	1.67
				Three Pines	48 31 21	10497.0	11479.2	6.52
Kingscote	37 59 44.75	76 27 24.13	183 16 01 292 29 19	Lower Potomac	3 16 03	1678.7	1835.8	1.04
				Coan River	112 29 57	1618.7	1770.1	1.01
John Bitzel's, northeast chimney.	37 59 44.77	76 27 29.56	236 13 55 290 50 24	Three Pines	56 17 55	11408.3	12475.8	7.09
				Coan River	110 51 05	1742.1	1905.1	1.08
Sanford House, northeast chimney.	38 09 52.82	76 46 40.48	217 48 27 215 38 56	East Nomini	37 48 33	413.6	452.3	0.26
				Blakiston's light-house pole.	35 40 20	5696.4	6229.4	3.54
<i>Yeocomico River.</i>								
Windmill Point	38 01 36.78	76 30 38.35	173 57 26 202 53 50	Yeocomico	353 57 20	1935.6	2116.7	1.20
				St. Mary	22 55 19	9038.9	9884.6	5.62
Old windmill	38 01 21.60	76 30 12.76	255 59 07 160 53 28	Three Pines	76 04 47	13875.8	15174.1	8.62
				Yeocomico	340 53 07	2529.6	2766.3	1.57
Bain Point	38 01 31.09	76 31 52.50	217 22 06 264 27 19	Yeocomico	37 22 47	2642.8	2890.1	1.64
				Windmill Point	84 28 05	1816.7	1986.7	1.13
Kinsale Point	38 01 40.75	76 32 30.43	272 33 08 287 49 46	Windmill Point	92 34 17	2735.8	2991.7	1.70
				Bain Point	107 50 09	971.6	1062.5	0.60

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Cherry tree	38 01 32.12	76 31 48.46	216 02 44 265 11 27	Yocomico	36 03 22	2558.5	2797.9	1.59
Lyle's house, east chimney	38 01 13.93	76 32 22.50	166 50 29 234 07 08	Windmill Point	85 12 10	1715.7	1876.2	1.07
Jos. Hudson's, west chimney	38 01 25.15	76 33 49.16	255 55 54 266 18 07	Kinsale Point	346 50 24	849.1	928.6	0.53
Ebbitt's house, south chimney	38 02 16.83	76 32 55.15	290 17 58 312 42 03	Bain Point	54 07 26	903.1	987.6	0.56
<i>Breton's Bay.</i>				Kinsale Point	75 56 43	1979.4	2164.6	1.23
Forbes	38 13 30.52	76 38 39.32	76 05 04 171 53 31	Bain Point	86 19 19	2851.0	3117.8	1.77
Breton	38 14 39.43	76 39 59.60	317 24 44 213 44 35	Windmill Point	110 19 22	3556.9	3889.7	2.21
W. Goughs	38 15 29.84	76 38 25.67	55 46 04 117 27 11	Bain Point	132 42 42	2078.9	2273.4	1.29
Reeds Point	38 15 29.96	76 40 08.23	270 04 33 352 19 45	Blakiston's light, center	256 01 31	8638.3	9446.6	5.37
South	38 14 48.36	76 40 18.28	190 46 54 244 57 07	Pawpaw	351 53 16	4200.7	4593.8	2.61
Greenwell	38 15 51.25	76 38 05.65	36 24 02 82 43 52	Forbes	137 25 34	2885.2	3155.2	1.79
Gurten	38 16 06.53	76 38 19.93	323 37 50 58 32 01	Pawpaw	33 45 10	2446.5	2675.4	1.52
Ginies Point	38 16 28.02	76 37 24.50	41 25 39 63 48 53	Breton	235 45 06	2762.2	3020.6	1.72
Buzzard Point	38 16 42.88	76 37 39.16	322 07 14 22 01 38	Pawpaw	297 26 47	1041.4	1138.9	0.65
S. Foxwell, center chimney	38 16 57.72	76 37 33.05	347 12 38 17 59 38	W. Goughs	90 05 37	2493.1	2726.4	1.55
Hickory tree	38 16 43.22	76 37 40.27	330 42 39 21 03 30	Breton	172 19 50	1572.0	1719.1	0.98
J. Gurten's house, center chimney	38 16 06.73	76 38 20.30	244 10 14 323 17 35	Reed's Point	10 47 00	1305.5	1427.6	0.81
Hawk's Nest	38 14 38.84	76 40 12.61	183 52 00 238 49 34	W. Goughs	64 58 17	3021.4	3304.1	1.88
H. J. Kaywood	38 14 19.26	76 41 43.57	226 45 04 245 38 48	W. Goughs	216 23 50	820.2	896.9	0.51
C. Thompson, south chimney	38 15 34.27	76 40 52.86	276 59 16 329 17 13	Pawpaw	262 43 16	1422.3	1555.4	0.88
Windmill	38 15 43.53	76 41 22.78	275 35 07 317 19 12	Greenwell	143 37 59	585.0	639.8	0.36
<i>Wicomico River.</i>				Pawpaw	238 31 34	1247.3	1364.0	0.78
Wicomico	38 15 30.72	76 50 02.37	292 32 49 336 46 11	Greenwell	221 25 14	1512.6	1654.1	0.94
Hammett	38 16 04.83	76 48 13.70	6 24 54 68 17 55	Gurten	243 48 19	1501.3	1641.7	0.93
Lancaster	38 16 21.58	76 49 42.12	323 14 48 283 30 04	Ginies Point	142 07 23	580.4	634.7	0.36
Charleston Creek	38 17 17.48	76 50 05.87	309 23 51 341 28 38	Greenwell	202 01 22	1717.1	1877.8	1.07
Pond Point	38 18 01.04	76 49 12.53	13 11 45 338 14 30	Buzzard Point	167 12 43	938.7	1026.5	0.58
Cob Neck	38 18 54.07	76 50 47.16	305 24 46 341 22 53	Greenwell	197 59 34	480.9	525.9	0.30
Mills Point	38 20 09.18	76 50 13.80	339 21 12 19 17 03	Ginies Point	140 42 49	605.5	662.1	0.38
Bowman's Creek	38 20 14.17	76 51 50.62	273 44 09 328 01 21	Greenwell	201 03 14	1717.0	1877.7	1.07
Wicomico farm	38 20 38.79	76 51 31.20	341 40 03 31 51 48	Ginies Point	64 10 49	1506.7	1647.6	0.94
Chaptico	38 21 04.05	76 49 69.20	11 50 34 70 47 34	Greenwell	143 17 44	593.5	651.2	0.37
				Reeds Point	3 52 03	1579.6	1727.4	0.98
				W. Goughs	58 50 40	3038.3	3322.6	1.89
				Reeds Point	46 46 03	3181.9	3479.7	1.98
				W. Goughs	65 40 50	5774.5	6280.3	3.28
				Reeds Point	96 59 44	1093.1	1195.4	0.68
				South	149 17 34	1646.4	1800.5	1.02
				W. Goughs	95 36 57	4325.9	4730.7	2.69
				South	137 19 52	2313.5	2529.9	1.44
				St. Margaret Island	112 33 50	2610.7	2855.0	1.62
				Nomini Hill	156 48 01	10976.5	12003.6	6.82
				St. Margaret Island	186 24 48	2066.1	2259.4	1.28
				Wicomico	248 16 48	2843.1	3109.1	1.77
				St. Margaret Island	143 15 37	3206.6	3506.6	1.99
				Hammett	103 31 01	2210.0	2416.8	1.37
				Hammett	129 25 01	3528.2	3858.4	2.19
				Lancaster	161 28 53	1817.7	1987.8	1.13
				Lancaster	193 11 27	3149.7	3444.4	1.96
				Hammett	158 15 06	3857.5	4218.4	2.40
				Pond Point	125 25 45	2820.7	3084.7	1.75
				Charleston Creek	161 23 19	3142.1	3436.1	1.95
				Pond Point	159 21 50	4221.5	4616.5	2.62
				Cob Neck	199 16 42	2453.2	2682.7	1.52
				Mills Point	93 45 09	2356.2	2576.7	1.46
				Cob Neck	148 02 00	2911.1	3183.5	1.81
				Cob Neck	161 40 30	3401.1	3719.3	2.11
				Bowman's Creek	211 51 36	893.8	977.5	0.56
				Mills Point	191 50 25	1728.2	1889.9	1.07
				Wicomico Farm	250 46 37	2365.4	2586.7	1.47

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Stoddard	38 21 28.31	76 51 04.62	295 13 03 333 10 09	Chaptico	115 13 44	1755.6	1919.8	1.09
Lancaster wharf, northeast post	38 16 19.33	76 49 43.86	321 53 12 281 31 20	Mills Point	153 10 41	2733.8	2989.6	1.70
E. A. Wells, southwest chimney.	38 14 58.83	76 47 48.47	106 49 01 132 43 51	St. Margaret Island	141 54 02	3177.3	3474.6	1.97
Plowden's house, southwest chimney.	38 17 45.70	76 47 17.73	23 37 46 53 32 33	Hammett	101 32 16	2236.5	2445.8	1.39
Plowden's store, flag-staff.	38 16 55.34	76 48 04.17	103 00 23 8 27 44	Wicomico	286 47 38	3400.4	3718.5	2.11
White Pine Island, flag in tree.	38 17 03.22	76 48 54.93	41 46 50 104 19 08	Lancaster	312 42 41	3760.3	4112.1	2.34
Clavoe's house, west chimney.	38 19 02.76	76 49 20.87	121 11 52 18 37 04	Hammett	203 37 11	3394.1	3711.7	2.11
Spaulding's cupola	38 18 30.25	76 49 04.31	106 23 20 33 41 49	Lancaster	233 31 03	4363.0	4771.3	2.71
Bluff Tree	38 17 57.25	76 50 36.63	187 45 41 266 42 50	Charleston Creek	282 59 08	3035.2	3319.2	1.89
J. W. Bourrough's east chimney.	38 20 48.80	76 51 26.07	304 50 25 257 26 04	Hammett	188 27 38	1573.9	1721.2	0.98
Range Oak	38 19 40.65	76 49 47.13	45 25 57 143 38 08	Lancaster	221 46 21	1721.2	1882.2	1.07
Bluff House, chimney	38 21 52.97	76 49 56.63	7 25 36 2 22 09	Charleston Creek	284 18 24	1779.1	1945.6	1.11
Bashwood's quarter's, north chimney.	38 20 44.41	76 49 18.34	86 56 32 121 24 30	Bowman's Creek	301 10 19	4251.5	4649.3	2.64
Duncan Turner's house, west chimney.	38 20 03.35	76 49 51.92	96 36 51 146 01 55	Charleston Creek	198 36 36	3424.9	3745.4	2.13
<i>St. Clement's Bay.</i>								
St. Clement	38 13 37.04	76 44 23.79	258 36 12 0 07 58	Cob Neck	286 22 16	2603.9	2847.6	1.62
Mattingly	38 14 18.30	76 42 56.19	30 58 58 59 06 19	Charleston Creek	213 41 11	2696.3	2948.6	1.68
Canoe Neck	38 15 13.69	76 42 58.60	36 12 40 34 48 48	Mills Point	7 45 55	4105.1	4489.2	2.55
Newtown	38 15 27.87	76 42 05.04	30 08 46 71 26 54	Pond Point	86 43 42	2046.7	2238.2	1.27
Commercial Point	38 15 53.93	76 42 31.89	320 54 20 27 37 38	Mills Point	124 51 10	2131.8	2331.3	1.32
Lynn Oaks	38 16 18.67	76 42 14.67	28 03 49 28 45 33	Chaptico	77 26 58	2160.9	2363.1	1.34
Cedar Point	38 17 10.86	76 42 43.88	336 11 19 352 59 41	Cob Neck	225 25 20	2046.4	2237.9	1.27
Hazel	38 16 49.96	76 42 17.80	11 12 53 355 29 09	Mills Point	323 37 51	1092.4	1194.6	0.68
Riker's Creek	38 17 46.73	76 42 33.40	350 29 03 347 47 04	Mills Point	187 25 25	3227.0	3529.0	2.00
Benjamin Swan's north chimney.	38 17 44.06	76 43 11.80	321 48 21 326 28 18	Chaptico	182 22 07	1509.7	1650.9	0.94
Jeremiah Hubbard's northeast chimney.	38 18 07.95	76 43 18.19	334 39 44 335 22 45	Wicomico Farm	266 55 10	3230.3	3532.5	2.01
Mathew Stone's west chimney.	38 18 15.65	76 42 45.06	342 22 04 345 55 23	Chaptico	301 24 04	1162.1	1270.8	0.72
Mill House, west chimney	38 17 29.93	76 42 04.89	14 18 38 12 30 15	Bowman's Creek	276 35 37	2901.9	3173.4	1.80
Lynn Howard's northwest chimney.	38 16 18.70	76 42 12.23	171 59 46 353 38 23	Stoddard	326 01 10	3158.8	3454.3	1.96
Thomas McWilliams' north chimney.	38 16 18.83	76 42 51.76	220 41 58 324 08 19	Blue Sow	78 37 41	3556.4	3889.2	2.21
				Blakiston's light, center.	180 07 58	2282.8	2496.4	1.42
				Blakiston's light, center.	210 58 04	4149.6	4537.9	2.58
				St. Clement	239 05 25	2482.4	2714.7	1.54
				St. Patrick	216 12 03	2439.1	2667.4	1.52
				St. Clement	214 47 55	3629.0	3968.5	2.25
				Mattingly	210 08 14	2476.9	2708.6	1.51
				Canoe Neck	251 26 21	1373.5	1502.0	0.85
				Newtown	140 54 37	1035.2	1132.1	0.64
				Canoe Neck	207 37 21	1400.1	1531.1	0.87
				Canoe Neck	208 03 22	2270.0	2482.4	1.41
				Commercial Point	208 45 23	870.1	951.5	0.54
				Lynn Oaks	156 11 37	1758.6	1923.1	1.09
				Commercial Point	172 59 48	3289.5	3597.3	2.04
				Commercial Point	191 12 44	1761.0	1925.8	1.09
				Lynn Oaks	175 29 11	967.6	1058.1	0.60
				Lynn Oaks	170 29 14	2752.7	3010.3	1.71
				Hazel	167 47 14	1790.7	1958.3	1.11
				Hazel	141 48 54	2122.4	2321.0	1.32
				Cedar Point	146 28 35	1228.1	1343.1	0.76
				Cedar Point	154 40 05	1947.3	2129.5	1.21
				Lynn Oaks	155 23 24	3706.1	4052.9	2.30
				Riker's Creek	162 22 11	935.7	1023.2	0.58
				Hazel	165 55 40	2723.5	2978.3	1.69
				Hazel	194 18 30	1272.0	1391.0	0.79
				Commercial Point	192 29 58	3031.3	3314.9	1.88
				Hazel	351 59 43	973.1	1064.2	0.60
				Newtown	173 38 27	1577.0	1724.6	0.98
				Hazel	40 42 19	1266.0	1384.5	0.79
				Newtown	144 08 48	1938.4	2119.8	1.20

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Section III.—St. Clement's Bay.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
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James McWilliams' south chimney.	38 16 41.83	76 42 47.26	250 41 22 312 01 58	Hazel..... Lynn Oaks.....	70 41 40 132 02 18	758.4 1066.2	829.4 1166.0	0.47 0.66
Bluff Wood's house, chimney...	38 15 25.87	76 42 52.98	209 45 47 210 38 28	Lynn Oaks..... Commercial Point.....	29 46 11 30 38 41	1875.4 1005.6	2050.9 1099.7	1.17 0.62
Priest House, southwest chimney.	38 15 15.72	76 41 41.69	88 05 35 157 33 20	Canoe Neck..... Lynn Oaks.....	268 04 47 337 33 00	1871.0 2099.8	2046.1 2296.2	1.16 1.30
Chapel Oak.....	38 15 22.81	76 42 03.30	144 04 05 32 55 34	Commercial Point..... Mattingly.....	324 03 47 212 55 01	1184.7 2366.0	1295.5 2587.4	0.74 1.47
Carberry's house, chimney.....	38 16 01.94	76 41 51.12	17 51 31 76 00 46	Newtown..... Commercial Point.....	197 51 22 256 00 21	1103.6 1021.4	1206.8 1116.9	0.69 0.63
Piazza House, northwest chimney.	38 15 48.49	76 41 47.57	58 10 15 33 39 58	Canoe Neck..... Newtown.....	238 09 31 213 39 47	2033.8 764.1	2224.1 835.6	1.26 0.47
St. Clement's Hawk's Nest.....	38 14 36.15	76 42 19.45	71 17 56 58 55 49	St. Patrick..... St. Clement.....	251 16 55 238 54 32	2526.6 3530.4	2763.0 3860.0	1.57 2.19
Mattingly House, chimney.....	38 14 18.72	76 42 51.45	80 24 06 60 13 29	St. Patrick..... St. Clement.....	260 23 25 240 12 32	1637.8 2587.3	1791.0 2829.4	1.02 1.61
Birch House, north chimney.....	38 14 25.56	76 43 55.48	6 49 10 24 43 13	St. Patrick..... St. Clement.....	186 49 09 204 42 55	487.6 1646.8	533.2 1800.9	0.30 1.02
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PORT TOBACCO BASE, EAST END..	38 26 36.80	77 02 07.21						
PORT TOBACCO BASE, WEST END..	38 26 51.55	77 02 52.53	292 28 57	East base.....	112 29 25	1189.0	1300.2	0.74
Chapel Point.....	38 27 44.30	77 01 33.86	21 14 19 49 33 10	East base..... West base.....	201 13 58 229 32 21	2332.5 2506.3	2441.4 2740.8	1.39 1.56
Bluff.....	38 25 31.31	76 59 58.45	122 53 56 150 34 26	East base..... Chapel Point.....	302 52 36 330 33 27	3718.7 4708.0	4066.6 5148.5	2.31 2.93
Upper Cedar.....	38 24 23.37	77 05 17.95	254 50 53 228 20 12	Bluff..... East base.....	74 54 11 48 22 10	8029.2 6190.7	8779.4 6770.0	4.99 3.85
Mathias Point.....	38 23 42.52	77 03 04.08	194 23 32 233 18 23	East base..... Bluff.....	14 24 07 53 20 18	5547.4 5615.0	6066.5 6140.4	3.45 3.49
Stewart.....	38 22 07.17	77 06 06.70	236 25 28 195 43 51	Mathias Point..... Upper Cedar.....	56 27 22 15 44 21	5318.1 4362.5	5815.8 4770.7	3.30 2.71
Persimmon.....	38 22 26.49	77 00 28.50	162 46 08 187 17 23	East base..... Bluff.....	342 45 07 7 17 42	8080.4 5744.5	8836.4 6222.0	5.02 3.57
Lower Cedar.....	38 20 25.87	76 58 25.70	166 33 57 141 17 39	Bluff..... Persimmon.....	346 32 59 321 16 23	9682.1 4766.2	10588.1 5212.2	6.02 2.96
Machadoc.....	38 20 06.10	77 00 36.19	182 28 16 259 06 03	Persimmon..... Lower Cedar.....	2 28 21 79 07 20	4332.4 3226.8	4737.8 3528.7	2.69 2.00
Rosier.....	38 16 49.73	76 59 48.46	196 46 50 169 09 47	Lower Cedar..... Machadoc.....	16 47 41 349 09 17	6060.4 6164.3	7611.6 6741.1	4.33 3.83
Swan Point.....	38 17 23.94	76 55 10.98	139 52 36 81 08 01	Lower Cedar..... Rosier.....	319 50 35 261 05 09	7337.1 6225.1	8023.7 7463.7	4.56 4.24
White Point.....	38 15 34.39	76 57 39.14	152 50 09 226 49 27	Machadoc..... Swan Point.....	332 48 19 46 50 59	9416.8 4937.3	10297.9 5399.3	5.85 3.07
Lone Locust.....	38 11 56.26	76 54 39.64	147 01 42 175 41 35	White Point..... Swan Point.....	326 59 51 355 41 16	8017.4 10131.1	8767.6 11079.1	4.98 6.30
Cob Point.....	38 15 20.39	76 50 32.97	119 26 10 92 25 23	Swan Point..... White Point.....	299 23 18 272 20 59	7756.8 10368.7	8482.6 11338.9	4.82 6.44
East Nomini.....	38 10 03.42	76 46 30.06	106 19 13 148 51 39	Lone Locust..... Cob Point.....	286 14 10 328 49 09	12411.1 11419.5	13572.4 12488.0	7.71 7.10
Metompkin.....	38 22 00.46	77 07 57.66	221 19 21 265 35 57	Upper Cedar..... Stewart.....	41 21 00 85 37 06	5868.0 2701.1	6417.0 2953.8	3.65 1.68
Seminary.....	38 27 52.25	77 01 07.13	32 03 46 339 01 28	East base..... Bluff.....	212 03 09 159 02 11	2744.6 4653.6	3001.4 5089.0	1.71 2.89
Deep Point.....	38 28 30.58	77 01 40.87	10 19 12 325 18 43	East base..... Seminary.....	190 18 56 145 19 04	3565.6 1437.3	3899.2 1571.8	2.22 0.89
High Field.....	38 29 24.95	77 01 34.10	347 07 01 5 35 47	Seminary..... Deep Point.....	167 07 18 183 35 43	2932.1 1684.4	3206.5 1842.0	1.82 1.05
Bird Nest Tree.....	38 25 33.50	77 03 50.88	232 10 01 270 39 58	East base..... Bluff.....	52 11 06 90 42 23	3182.6 5637.8	3480.4 6165.3	1.98 3.50

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Portico House, south chimney..	38 26 00.97	77 00 02.81	110 07 33 68 32 19	East base	290 06 16	3212.5	3513.1	2.00
				Upper Cedar.....	242 29 04	2214.7	2393.3	5.10
Grimes' house, south chimney..	38 23 16.22	77 01 24.31	170 27 20 178 23 28	East base	350 26 53	6271.9	6852.8	3.90
				Chapel Point	358 23 22	8267.3	9040.9	5.14
Brent's house, south chimney...	38 28 02.02	77 02 37.53	229 29 47 237 19 47	Chapel Point.....	109 30 27	1637.3	1790.5	1.02
				Deep Point	57 20 22	1631.3	1783.9	1.01
Small house, chimney	38 28 03.66	77 02 28.92	234 31 04 207 55 31	Deep Point	54 31 34	1430.2	1564.0	0.89
				High Field.....	27 56 05	2836.8	3102.2	1.76
White house on point, chimney.	38 29 41.49	77 01 00.89	57 37 41 23 54 10	High Field	237 37 20	952.6	1041.7	0.59
				Deep Point	203 53 45	2391.5	2615.2	1.49
House on bluff, south chimney	38 30 20.51	77 00 47.38	33 27 38 20 56 03	High Field	213 27 09	2053.1	2245.2	1.28
				Deep Point	200 55 30	3628.7	3928.2	2.25
Port Tobacco court-house, cupola.	38 30 37.17	77 00 55.80	22 37 16 15 38 06	High Field	202 36 52	2412.3	2638.0	1.50
				Deep Point	195 37 38	4053.0	4432.3	2.52
Mathias, poplar	38 23 46.47	77 01 59.66	222 17 03 178 00 08	Bluff	42 18 18	4369.6	4778.5	2.72
				East base	358 00 03	5254.6	5746.2	3.26
Chimney at Mathias Point.....	38 23 43.38	77 02 00.56	221 40 02 178 16 15	Bluff	41 41 18	4455.0	4871.9	2.77
				East base	358 16 11	5349.1	5849.7	3.32
Two-story white house, east chimney.	38 22 45.71	77 09 20.62	304 42 24 284 09 05	Metompkin	124 43 16	2449.5	2678.7	1.52
				Stewart	104 11 06	4254.1	5308.3	3.02
Small white house, south chimney.	38 23 08.40	77 08 31.40	338 38 45 243 46 11	Metompkin	158 39 06	2248.9	2459.3	1.40
				Upper Cedar.....	63 48 11	5232.0	5721.6	3.25
House, white chimney with black top.	38 24 30.68	77 06 18.12	27 33 05 356 24 59	Metompkin	207 32 03	5223.5	5712.2	3.25
				Stewart	176 25 06	4433.3	4848.1	2.75
Naujemoy, poplar	38 23 53.69	77 07 27.80	11 43 50 253 48 03	Metompkin	191 43 31	3565.2	3898.8	2.22
				Upper Cedar.....	73 49 24	3280.5	3587.4	2.04
Robert Speaks' house, east chimney.	38 23 26.07	77 07 59.16	359 12 40 245 40 59	Metompkin	179 12 41	2639.7	2866.7	1.64
				Upper Cedar.....	65 42 39	4291.7	4693.3	2.67
House at Pope's Creek, south apex.	38 23 52.63	76 59 11.89	34 59 52 3 54 01	Persimmon	214 59 04	3241.6	3544.9	2.01
				Rosier	183 53 38	13068.5	14291.3	8.12
Mrs. Watson's house, southeast chimney.	38 22 51.22	76 58 50.23	72 16 59 7 14 14	Persimmon	252 15 58	2503.4	2737.6	1.56
				Rosier	187 13 38	11234.8	12286.0	6.98
Two-story white house, southwest chimney.	38 21 38.32	76 58 29.12	47 20 54 12 13 39	Machadoc	227 19 35	4195.4	4588.0	2.61
				Rosier	192 12 50	9103.7	9955.5	5.66
Mrs. Harris' house, southeast chimney.	38 20 15.63	76 57 17.52	86 31 53 329 50 43	Machadoc	266 29 50	4833.4	5285.6	3.00
				Swan Point	149 52 01	6121.2	6693.9	3.80
Red chimney	38 21 31.36	77 00 39.40	313 41 33 301 52 10	Swan Point	133 44 56	11036.8	12069.5	6.86
				Lower Cedar.....	121 53 33	3822.7	4180.4	2.37
House near Rosier's Creek, northeast chimney.	38 17 20.35	77 00 28.45	284 17 01 269 08 59	Cob Point	104 23 10	14938.0	16335.7	9.28
				Swan Point	29 12 16	7714.8	8436.6	4.79
Poplar on Swan Point	38 17 19.68	76 54 24.77	96 40 42 83 19 55	Swan Point	276 40 13	1130.3	1236.0	0.70
				Rosier	263 16 35	7919.8	8660.8	4.92
Watson's house, south chimney.	38 15 43.93	76 57 52.07	273 51 11 231 45 49	Cob Point	93 55 43	10698.9	11700.0	6.65
				Swan Point	51 47 29	4983.4	5449.7	3.10
Goldman's house, northeast chimney.	38 15 09.76	76 57 27.63	159 45 34 153 23 07	White Point	339 45 27	809.3	885.1	0.50
				Machadoc	333 21 10	10220.6	11177.0	6.35
Old chimney at Rosier.....	38 16 50.23	76 59 49.30	307 02 36 169 19 20	Rosier	127 02 37	25.5	27.9	0.02
				Machadoc	349 18 51	6145.4	6720.4	3.82
Big Oak House, southwest chimney.	38 12 15.64	76 56 15.43	189 21 20 235 36 04	Swan Point	9 22 00	9633.4	10534.8	5.99
				Cob Point	55 39 36	10089.7	11033.8	6.27
Old windmill	38 16 15.67	76 58 26.96	117 56 13 278 22 30	Rosier	297 55 23	2242.2	2452.0	1.39
				Cob Point	98 27 24	11646.8	12736.6	7.24
Adams	38 22 28.69	77 09 43.55	277 10 01 288 42 06	Stewart	97 12 16	5304.8	5801.1	3.30
				Metompkin	108 43 12	2713.5	2967.4	1.69
Wheat	38 20 37.02	77 09 45.64	225 31 49 180 50 37	Metompkin	45 32 56	3672.8	4016.5	2.28
				Adams	0 50 38	3443.3	3765.5	2.14
Grimes	38 20 22.21	77 11 56.91	261 50 14 219 41 24	Wheat	81 51 35	3220.2	3521.5	2.00
				Adams	39 42 47	5068.4	5542.7	3.15
Maryland	38 21 41.77	77 12 40.57	336 37 40 295 09 40	Grimes	156 38 07	2672.1	2922.1	1.66
				Wheat	115 11 29	4692.8	5131.9	2.92

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Cleopatra	38 19 54.85	77 15 38.95	232 42 30 261 05 18	Maryland	52 44 21	5442.9	5952.2	3.38
Wagner	38 22 27.66	77 14 01.51	96 40 17 321 57 45	Grimes	81 07 36	5457.4	5968.1	3.39
Acquia Creek	38 22 09.65	77 17 36.08	325 36 22 276 48 23	Cleopatra	206 39 16	5271.9	5765.2	3.28
Dana	38 23 13.34	78 14 52.60	63 40 51 10 25 22	Grimes	141 59 02	4909.9	5309.3	3.05
Brent	38 25 29.04	77 18 56.80	305 12 32 342 19 28	Cleopatra	145 37 35	5035.8	5507.0	3.13
Smith's Point	38 24 53.16	77 15 37.65	340 26 28 102 55 03	Maryland	96 51 27	7224.6	7900.6	4.49
Liverpool	38 27 46.41	77 15 56.78	355 02 01 45 52 55	Acquia Creek	243 39 10	4427.2	4841.5	2.75
Virginia	38 29 14.29	77 18 26.18	306 47 16 6 06 12	Cleopatra	190 24 53	6222.3	6804.5	3.87
Sandy	38 29 17.55	77 16 02.09	88 21 51 31 01 52	Dana	125 15 04	7252.7	7931.4	4.51
Chapowamsie	38 30 20.39	77 17 30.74	312 01 58 33 24 24	Acquia Creek	162 20 18	6452.0	7055.7	4.01
Fairoak	38 30 34.42	77 15 31.98	81 27 30 17 07 05	Dana	160 26 56	3265.7	3571.2	2.03
Shipping Point	38 31 34.85	77 16 41.83	317 44 40 27 18 16	Brent	282 52 59	4955.5	5419.2	3.08
Budd's Ferry	38 31 29.41	77 14 58.47	93 50 24 25 35 25	Smith's Point	175 02 13	5361.3	5862.9	3.33
Cockpit Point	38 33 19.19	77 15 28.21	347 58 52 29 00 26	Brent	225 51 03	6081.7	6650.8	3.78
Stump Neck	38 33 12.08	77 13 11.33	93 47 24 39 21 10	Liverpool	126 48 49	4522.4	4945.5	2.81
Freestone Point	38 35 30.48	77 14 31.61	335 30 14 18 42 19	Brent	186 05 53	6983.4	7636.8	4.34
Indian Head	38 35 53.84	77 10 43.91	82 34 13 35 35 58	Virginia	268 20 21	3493.1	3820.0	2.17
High Point	38 37 02.89	77 12 00.08	52 09 57 13 37 50	Brent	211 00 03	8929.5	9828.6	5.11
Turtle	38 37 10.66	77 14 23.70	273 56 04 3 32 44	Sandy	132 02 53	2892.1	3162.7	1.80
Occoquan	38 38 10.75	77 12 41.49	53 09 53 28 20 29	Virginia	213 23 49	2440.2	2668.5	1.52
Unpainted house, south chimney	38 23 45.78	77 14 58.94	118 54 26 7 46 13	Chapowamsie	261 26 06	2909.5	3181.7	1.81
Two-story house, chimney	38 22 06.11	77 10 34.78	31 54 34 336 31 10	Sandy	197 06 46	2479.3	2711.3	1.54
Black buoy off Maryland Point.	38 21 07.25	77 11 59.76	67 15 59 357 09 19	Fairoak	137 45 23	2516.5	2752.0	1.56
Unpainted house, south chimney	38 22 03.64	77 13 07.44	331 16 53 91 38 45	Chapowamsie	207 17 46	2583.1	2824.8	1.61
White house, white chimney ...	38 22 21.44	77 13 32.49	327 43 41 86 30 07	Shipping Point	273 49 20	2509.0	2743.7	1.56
Fish-house, chimney	38 20 21.65	77 11 20.43	134 49 56 141 46 31	Fairoak	205 35 04	1879.4	2055.3	1.17
Large fish-house, north gable end.	38 19 52.99	77 13 37.72	163 36 35 202 28 24	Budd's Ferry	167 59 11	3459.4	3783.1	2.15
White fish-house, chimney	38 21 37.08	77 12 18.79	296 27 31 57 03 02	Shipping Point	208 59 40	3677.0	4021.1	2.28
White house near Acquia Creek, north chimney.	38 23 42.36	77 18 41.26	292 58 47 279 08 29	Cockpit Point	273 45 59	3321.0	3631.7	2.06
House at Marlborough Point, north chimney.	38 21 16.72	77 17 10.79	222 59 56 318 31 48	Budd's Ferry	219 20 03	4092.2	4475.1	2.54
				Stump Neck	155 31 04	4687.5	5126.1	2.91
				Cockpit Point	198 41 44	4272.6	4672.3	2.66
				Freestone Point	262 31 41	5556.4	6076.3	3.45
				Stump Neck	215 34 26	6131.3	6705.0	3.81
				Freestone Point	232 08 22	4642.8	5077.3	2.88
				Stump Neck	193 37 06	7320.6	8005.6	4.55
				High Point	93 57 34	3482.4	3808.2	2.16
				Freestone Point	123 32 39	3094.3	3383.8	1.92
				Turtle	233 08 49	3080.0	3378.0	1.92
				Freestone Point	208 19 20	5613.0	6138.2	3.49
				Brent	298 51 58	6590.4	7207.0	4.09
				Cleopatra	187 45 48	7185.4	7857.7	4.46
				Grimes	211 53 43	3773.3	4126.4	2.34
				Wheat	156 31 40	2994.6	3274.8	1.86
				Cleopatra	247 13 43	5771.5	6311.5	3.59
				Grimes	177 09 21	1390.2	1520.3	0.86
				Grimes	151 17 37	3565.0	3898.6	2.21
				Acquia Creek	271 35 58	6523.7	7134.1	4.05
				Grimes	147 44 40	4346.8	4753.5	2.70
				Acquia Creek	266 27 36	5923.7	6477.9	3.68
				Wagner	314 48 16	5511.7	6027.5	3.42
				Maryland	321 45 41	3144.9	3439.2	1.95
				Dana	343 35 49	6439.1	7041.7	4.00
				Maryland	22 28 59	3629.7	3969.3	2.26
				Wheat	116 29 06	4153.6	4542.2	2.58
				Cleopatra	237 00 58	5792.6	6334.6	3.60
				Maryland	113 02 31	9510.3	10400.1	5.91
				Dana	99 10 51	5620.3	6146.2	3.49
				Dana	43 01 22	4917.0	5377.1	3.06
				Cleopatra	138 32 45	3368.2	3683.4	2.09

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House on Marlborough Hill, north chimney.	38 21 19.36	77 18 26.31	265 15 37 253 52 01	Maryland..... Dana.....	85 19 12 55 54 14	8422.2 6264.8	9210.3 6750.9	5.23 3.89
White house near Cleopatra, north chimney.	38 19 50.45	77 15 06.58	225 55 46 99 37 08	Maryland..... Cleopatra.....	45 57 17 279 36 48	4933.8 798.0	5395.5 872.7	3.07 0.50
Two-story brown house, south chimney, with white top.	38 24 18.35	77 15 15.46	112 06 48 4 00 57	Brent..... Cleopatra.....	292 01 31 181 00 42	5794.5 8143.8	6336.7 8905.9	3.60 5.06
House with portico over door, east chimney.	38 27 57.25	77 19 10.06	347 59 00 355 58 30	Aquia Creek..... Brent.....	167 59 58 175 58 38	10956.9 4580.1	11952.1 5008.6	6.81 2.85
Hoar's house, east chimney.	38 29 27.87	77 18 21.81	275 21 27 14 13 11	Sandy..... Virginia.....	95 22 51 194 13 08	3399.8 431.6	3717.9 471.9	2.11 0.27
Posey's house, south chimney.	38 31 29.80	77 14 03.76	92 20 32 269 28 37	Shipping Point..... Budd's Ferry.....	272 18 54 269 28 03	3831.5 1325.0	4190.0 1449.0	2.38 0.82
Chimney, with white top.	38 31 18.56	77 17 00.52	222 01 48 263 31 57	Shipping Point..... Budd's Ferry.....	42 02 00 83 33 13	676.3 2975.1	739.6 3253.5	0.42 1.85
House at Shipping Point, north chimney.	38 31 13.62	77 17 01.84	216 31 03 299 01 28	Shipping Point..... Fair Oak.....	36 31 15 119 02 24	814.3 2489.7	890.5 2722.7	0.51 1.55
Ruins, tall red chimney.	38 31 34.67	77 16 50.25	273 24 52 314 23 55	Budd's Ferry..... Fair Oak.....	93 26 02 131 24 44	2712.4 2653.9	2966.2 2902.3	1.69 1.65
Chicomoxen barn, south gable.	38 31 38.28	77 13 35.49	169 15 22 11 25 47	Freestone Point..... Stump Neck.....	349 14 47 11 26 02	7285.0 250.1	7966.7 3226.1	4.53 1.83
Cockpit Point, flag.	38 33 33.78	77 15 05.61	283 34 43 50 34 13	Stump Neck..... Cockpit Point.....	163 35 54 230 33 59	2846.2 708.5	3112.5 771.8	1.77 0.44
Mast of old boat.	38 32 13.35	77 14 20.64	70 52 24 34 05 18	Shipping Point..... Budd's Ferry.....	250 50 56 211 04 54	3619.3 1635.6	3958.0 1788.6	2.25 1.02
Freestone, flag.	38 34 57.70	77 15 07.83	319 05 19 229 38 01	Stump Neck..... High Point.....	139 66 32 49 39 58	4307.1 5959.9	4710.1 6517.5	2.68 3.70
Fish-house, white chimney.	38 35 21.54	77 14 33.20	229 50 55 333 35 05	High Point..... Stump Neck.....	49 52 31 153 35 56	4845.5 4455.6	5298.9 4872.5	3.01 2.77
Three small houses, northernmost chimney.	38 36 18.43	77 14 36.44	250 04 09 340 15 59	High Point..... Stump Neck.....	70 05 16 160 16 52	4023.1 6102.1	4399.5 6673.1	2.50 3.79
House with six chimneys, center chimney on south end.	38 34 19.49	77 12 04.96	147 32 45 121 40 00	Turtle..... Freestone Point.....	327 31 19 301 38 29	6253.8 4169.3	6839.0 4559.4	3.89 2.59
Sycamore.	38 37 28.80	77 09 56.56	75 02 17 21 22 31	High Point..... Indian Head.....	255 01 00 201 22 01	3092.5 3113.4	3381.8 3437.5	1.92 1.95
North Indian Head.	38 36 20.45	77 09 54.39	113 17 31 158 34 21	High Point..... Sycamore.....	293 16 13 358 34 20	3309.9 2161.9	3619.6 2395.1	2.06 1.31
Pye's Wharf.	38 36 38.30	77 07 57.02	79 02 35 118 18 37	North Indian Head..... Sycamore.....	250 01 22 298 17 22	2892.3 3284.1	3162.9 3591.1	1.80 2.04
Hallowing Point.	38 38 02.00	77 07 33.41	12 28 49 73 32 50	Pye's Wharf..... Sycamore.....	192 28 34 253 31 21	2642.6 3610.1	2899.8 3917.9	1.64 2.24
Pamunkey Creek.	38 38 00.56	77 06 21.41	91 28 02 42 22 23	Hallowing Point..... Pye's Wharf.....	271 27 17 222 21 23	1741.9 3431.9	1904.9 3753.6	1.68 2.13
Gut Landing.	38 39 47.19	77 06 39.27	21 59 15 352 30 42	Hallowing Point..... Pamunkey Creek.....	201 58 41 172 30 53	3497.0 3315.4	3824.3 3625.6	2.17 2.06
Gunsen Cove.	38 39 16.52	77 08 20.77	248 54 54 309 02 28	Gut Landing..... Pamunkey Creek.....	68 55 57 129 03 43	2629.5 3716.6	2875.6 4064.3	1.63 2.31
White Stone Point.	38 40 30.82	77 07 30.53	27 56 25 340 09 19	Gunsen Cove..... Pamunkey Creek.....	207 55 54 160 10 02	2592.4 4924.0	2834.9 5384.8	1.61 3.66
Stevenson.	38 40 12.48	77 06 35.72	55 49 20 113 06 53	Gunsen Cove..... White Stone Point.....	235 48 14 293 06 19	3069.9 1440.3	3357.1 1555.0	1.91 0.90
Terry Point.	38 41 46.31	77 06 00.00	43 14 29 16 37 18	White Stone Point..... Stevenson.....	223 13 32 196 36 56	3193.7 3018.4	3492.5 3300.8	1.98 1.88
Marshal Point.	38 41 05.95	77 05 42.95	67 23 51 161 40 39	White Stone Point..... Stevenson.....	217 22 44 341 40 28	2816.3 1310.4	3099.8 1433.0	1.75 0.81
Bryant's Point.	38 41 40.52	77 03 48.58	68 55 21 93 13 31	Marshal Point..... Ferry Point.....	248 54 10 273 12 09	2962.0 3180.4	3239.2 3478.0	1.84 1.98
Hunting Creek.	38 42 27.88	77 04 32.14	34 07 27 324 12 48	Marshal Point..... Bryant's Point.....	214 06 43 144 13 15	3050.6 1799.5	3336.1 1967.9	1.90 1.12
Fish-house near Sycamore, white chimney.	38 37 30.38	77 09 49.35	300 34 09 3 14 23	Pye's Wharf..... North Indian Head.....	130 35 19 183 14 20	3155.9 2159.2	3451.2 2361.3	1.96 1.34

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Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
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Fish-house, west gable.....	38 36 17.46	77 09 02.34	247 52 11 149 11 39	Pye's wharf..... Sycamore.....	67 52 52 329 11 05	1705.8 2560.8	1853.4 2800.4	1.06 1.59
Fish-house, near Indian Head ..	38 36 19.86	77 09 46.49	257 52 41 173 27 50	Pye's wharf..... Sycamore.....	77 53 49 353 27 44	2708.8 2139.2	2962.2 2339.4	1.68 1.33
Glymont Pavilion.....	38 36 33.02	77 08 05.44	195 46 15 222 59 33	Hallowing Point..... Pamunkey Creek.....	15 46 35 43 00 38	2850.1 3689.6	3116.8 4034.8	1.77 2.29
Fish-house, chimney.....	38 37 09.49	77 07 06.49	158 05 23 211 42 16	Hallowing Point..... Pamunkey Creek.....	338 05 06 34 42 44	1744.7 1915.0	1907.9 2094.2	1.08 1.19
House on Craney Island, east chimney.	38 37 29.07	77 08 00.30	247 54 25 222 59 33	Pamunkey Creek..... Pye's wharf.....	67 55 27 174 05 55	2581.1 1567.3	2822.6 1714.0	1.60 0.97
Chapman's house, cupola.....	38 37 01.03	77 06 39.96	145 28 55 193 44 15	Hallowing Point..... Pamunkey Creek.....	325 28 22 13 44 27	2281.2 1889.2	2494.6 2066.0	1.42 1.17
Old house, chimney.....	38 39 14.37	77 08 19.14	247 14 58 208 37 15	Gut Landing..... Pamunkey Creek.....	67 16 00 128 38 28	2617.8 3614.2	2862.7 3955.2	1.63 2.26
High tree.....	38 39 01.57	77 08 23.18	204 49 32 240 45 03	Whitestone Point..... Gut Landing.....	24 50 05 60 46 08	3031.2 2879.0	3314.8 3148.3	1.88 1.79
Long House, chimney in center.	38 39 01.32	77 06 28.41	99 47 40 154 26 48	Gunsen Cove..... White Stone Point.....	279 46 30 331 26 09	2756.6 3140.9	3014.5 3434.8	1.71 1.95
Briscoe.....	38 40 51.02	77 06 03.22	33 28 22 73 34 00	Stevenson..... White Stone Point.....	213 28 02 253 33 05	1424.1 2200.3	1557.4 2406.2	0.89 1.37
White House Pavilion.....	38 40 45.36	77 07 17.56	315 03 19 224 55 19	Stevenson..... Ferry Point.....	135 03 45 44 56 08	1431.6 2653.9	1565.5 2902.3	0.89 1.65
White chimney on Ferry Point.	38 41 47.41	77 05 58.78	313 20 07 373 51 07	Marshal Point..... Bryant's Point.....	163 20 17 93 52 28	1334.2 3153.1	1459.0 3448.1	0.83 1.96
Mount Vernon wharf, sign-board	38 42 15.94	77 05 01.55	24 52 49 304 45 35	Marshal Point..... Bryant's Point.....	204 52 23 121 46 21	2378.0 2073.6	2600.5 2267.6	1.48 1.29
Target.....	38 42 27.29	77 02 53.00	90 26 37 42 58 36	Hunting Creek..... Bryant's Point.....	270 25 35 222 58 01	2395.1 1970.3	2619.2 2154.6	1.49 1.22
Fort Washington, flag-staff.....	38 42 36.81	77 01 47.85	86 02 45 59 15 50	Hunting Creek..... Bryant's Point.....	266 01 02 239 14 34	3978.3 3394.1	4350.6 3711.7	2.47 2.11
Mockley Point.....	38 42 03.99	77 02 27.05	103 12 22 209 50 37	Hunting Creek..... Bryant's Point.....	283 41 04 249 49 46	3110.5 2098.7	3401.5 2295.1	1.93 1.30
Fort Washington.....	38 42 41.90	77 01 52.77	55 56 30 35 49 32	Bryant's Point..... Mockley Point.....	235 55 18 215 19 11	3377.8 1432.5	3693.8 1566.5	2.10 0.89
Sheridan Point.....	38 43 16.96	77 02 14.93	333 38 36 7 25 07	Fort Washington..... Mockley Point.....	153 38 50 187 24 59	1205.9 2268.3	1318.8 2480.6	0.75 1.41
Broad Creek.....	38 44 11.43	77 01 27.91	12 16 44 34 04 37	Fort Washington..... Sheridan Point.....	192 16 28 214 04 08	2824.2 2027.1	3088.5 2216.8	1.75 1.26
Red House Point.....	38 44 24.59	77 02 14.87	229 40 40 350 25 30	Broad Creek..... Fort Washington.....	109 41 09 170 25 14	1204.5 3210.0	1317.2 3510.4	0.75 1.89
Rosier's Bluff.....	38 46 16.81	77 01 32.78	358 15 25 16 22 36	Broad Creek..... Red House Point.....	178 15 28 196 22 10	3866.7 3605.4	4228.5 3942.7	2.40 2.24
Hell Hole Point.....	38 45 57.19	77 02 10.65	236 30 27 312 25 46	Rosier's Bluff..... Broad Creek.....	56 30 51 162 26 13	1198.8 3419.3	1198.8 3739.3	0.68 2.12
Fox Ferry.....	38 48 03.41	77 01 18.09	18 03 43 6 09 31	Hell Hole Point..... Rosier's Bluff.....	198 03 10 186 09 22	4092.6 3305.2	4475.5 3614.5	2.54 2.05
Fish-house, west chimney.....	38 43 09.31	77 01 33.38	29 00 21 103 13 57	Fort Washington..... Sheridan Point.....	209 00 09 283 13 31	965.7 1030.9	1056.0 1127.4	0.60 0.64
White House, west chimney....	38 45 27.93	77 01 13.50	123 10 20 37 12 10	Hell Hole Point..... Red House Point.....	303 09 44 217 11 32	1648.2 2451.2	1802.5 2680.5	1.02 1.52
Pioneer Mills, chimney.....	38 48 02.46	77 02 06.39	268 32 42 316 00 39	Fox Ferry..... Rosier's Bluff.....	88 33 12 166 01 00	1165.8 3356.1	1274.8 3670.2	0.72 2.09
Unpainted house, chimney.....	38 44 31.88	77 00 59.18	146 50 34 82 58 38	Hell Hole Point..... Red House Point.....	336 49 50 262 57 51	3141.4 1834.5	3435.3 2006.1	1.95 1.14
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CAUSTEN.....	38 55 31.96	77 04 05.29						
SEMINARY, OLD.....	38 49 10.24	77 05 13.72	187 58 16	Causten.....	7 58 59	11884.7	12996.7	7.38
Naval Observatory signal, (east station.)	38 53 38.96	77 02 47.20	151 40 03 23 05 25	Causten..... Seminary, old.....	331 39 14 203 03 53	3958.6 9006.2	4329.0 9848.9	2.46 5.60

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	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Miles.	Yards.	Miles.
Coast Survey Office.....	38 53 07.06	77 00 11.46	44 58 13 104 41 37	Seminary, old.....	224 55 04	10316.2	11281.5	6.41
				Naval Observatory, signal	284 39 59	3881.8	4245.1	2.41
Seminary, new steeple.....	38 49 10.16	77 05 12.86	292 56 15 221 49 38	Naval Observatory, signal	22 57 46	9060.1	9842.2	5.59
				Coast Survey Office.....	44 52 47	10303.0	11267.1	6.40
Lunatic Asylum.....	38 51 13.81	76 59 42.37	135 08 02 04 27 47	Naval Observatory, signal	315 06 06	6315.9	6906.9	3.92
				Seminary, new steeple.....	244 24 20	8834.5	9661.1	5.49
Military Asylum.....	38 56 26.49	77 00 21.88	34 09 13 292 48 27	Naval Observatory, signal	214 07 42	6241.1	6825.1	3.88
				Hill.....	112 53 23	12304.0	13455.3	7.65
Oxon Hill.....	38 47 55.14	77 00 05.17	107 20 18 159 46 26	Seminary, new steeple.....	287 17 05	7774.9	8502.4	4.83
				Naval Observatory, signal	339 44 44	11298.9	12356.1	7.02
Kengley's house, southeast chimney.....	38 55 31.23	77 04 07.59	7 37 50 307 58 59	Seminary, new steeple.....	187 37 09	11854.4	12963.6	7.37
				Coast Survey Office.....	128 01 27	7219.9	7855.4	4.49
Miner's Hill.....	38 54 20.54	77 09 15.14	253 34 45 328 31 58	Kengley's house, south-east chimney.....	73 37 58	7722.3	8444.9	4.80
				Seminary, new steeple.....	148 37 30	11211.6	12260.6	6.97
Blunt's house, center of cupola.....	38 56 39.40	77 04 37.86	57 21 36 310 52 32	Miner's Hill.....	237 18 42	7933.1	8675.4	4.93
				Kengley's house, south-east chimney.....	160 52 51	2224.8	2432.9	1.38
Upton's Hill.....	38 52 16.15	77 08 31.51	226 31 09 164 40 26	Kengley's house, south-east chimney.....	46 36 55	8753.0	9572.0	5.44
				Miner's Hill.....	341 39 59	3976.9	4349.0	2.47
Falls Church.....	38 52 49.05	77 09 54.68	296 50 02 198 39 32	Upton's Hill.....	116 50 54	2246.6	2456.8	1.40
				Miner's Hill.....	18 39 57	2977.5	3256.1	1.85
Lewinsville Church, south gable.....	38 55 43.40	77 11 32.19	307 43 28 260 08 46	Miner's Hill.....	127 44 54	4174.5	4565.1	2.59
				Blunt's house.....	80 13 06	10126.1	11073.6	6.29
Langley Church, south gable.....	38 56 47.73	77 09 19.36	358 42 59 272 08 43	Miner's Hill.....	178 43 02	4539.6	4964.4	2.82
				Blunt's house.....	92 11 40	6782.9	7417.6	4.21
Offutt's house.....	39 00 22.68	77 10 56.34	317 40 57 307 02 53	Miner's Hill.....	167 42 01	11429.1	12498.6	7.10
				Blunt's house.....	127 06 51	11418.5	12466.9	7.09
Hall's house, center of cupola.....	38 54 16.54	77 07 26.40	214 17 28 222 38 04	Kengley's house, south-east chimney.....	64 19 33	5312.4	5809.5	3.30
				Blunt's house.....	42 39 50	5989.1	6549.5	3.72
Naval Observatory, dome.....	38 53 38.90	77 02 47.58	315 02 44 284 36 50	Lunatic Asylum.....	135 04 40	6319.5	6910.8	3.93
				Coast Survey Office.....	104 38 28	3888.0	4251.8	2.42
Fort Lincoln, signal.....	38 55 30.53	76 57 12.99	44 38 40 110 47 14	Seminary, new steeple.....	224 33 39	16471.9	18013.2	10.23
				Military Asylum.....	290 45 15	4865.1	5320.3	3.02
Agricultural College.....	38 58 57.57	76 56 19.29	51 26 30 11 27 18	Military Asylum.....	231 23 57	7469.7	8168.6	4.64
				Fort Lincoln, signal.....	191 26 44	6513.7	7123.1	4.05
Brick house, cupola.....	38 58 39.36	76 57 15.26	47 39 11 359 27 43	Military Asylum.....	227 37 14	6080.1	6649.0	3.78
				Fort Lincoln, signal.....	179 27 44	5822.5	6367.3	3.62
Yellow Roof, white cupola.....	38 56 43.42	76 56 14.76	85 00 29 31 58 06	Military Asylum.....	264 57 54	5973.2	6532.1	3.71
				Fort Lincoln, signal.....	211 57 29	2649.0	2866.8	1.65
Fort Manning, red chimney.....	38 53 40.09	76 56 22.45	131 40 43 266 20 58	Military Asylum.....	311 38 13	7718.3	8440.5	4.80
				Hill.....	86 23 23	5584.0	6106.5	3.47
Yellow Mill, south apex.....	38 56 27.94	76 55 47.53	89 38 06 49 18 33	Military Asylum.....	269 35 14	6606.4	7224.6	4.10
				Fort Lincoln, signal.....	229 17 39	2714.6	2968.6	1.69
Bladensburg Church, east apex.....	38 56 22.76	76 56 08.71	91 06 08 43 52 19	Military Asylum.....	271 03 29	6097.2	6667.7	3.79
				Fort Lincoln, signal.....	223 51 39	2233.6	2442.6	1.39
Painted house, south apex.....	38 56 12.37	76 55 46.81	93 47 02 58 08 38	Military Asylum.....	273 44 09	6638.0	7259.1	4.12
				Fort Lincoln, signal.....	238 07 44	2413.7	2672.3	1.52
Fort Lincoln, flag-staff.....	38 55 31.61	76 57 12.68	12 38 34 110 23 23	Fort Lincoln, signal.....	192 38 34	34.1	37.3	0.02
				Military Asylum.....	290 21 24	4860.4	5315.1	3.02
Old house, pipe chimney.....	38 57 18.13	77 01 20.60	299 43 40 330 40 30	Hill.....	119 49 13	14690.2	16064.7	9.13
				Military Asylum.....	150 41 07	2887.1	3157.3	1.79
Gray house, white cupola.....	38 57 32.00	77 01 20.20	325 11 25 298 02 01	Military Asylum.....	145 12 02	2460.1	2690.3	1.53
				Hill.....	118 07 33	14441.6	15782.8	8.97
Brick church, south apex.....	38 57 47.06	77 01 23.72	299 28 18 329 03 33	Hill.....	119 33 53	14739.4	16118.6	9.16
				Military Asylum.....	149 01 12	2896.6	3167.6	1.80
Keyser's house, west chimney.....	38 51 00.02	76 58 15.85	101 32 02 163 13 32	Lunatic Asylum.....	281 31 08	2128.9	2328.1	1.32
				Military Asylum.....	343 12 13	10514.1	11497.9	6.53
Gray house, southwest vane flag.....	38 51 30.82	76 58 26.28	74 03 36 163 01 26	Lunatic Asylum.....	254 02 48	1907.8	2086.3	1.19
				Military Asylum.....	343 00 13	9532.4	10424.3	5.92

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Alms-house, southeast chimney	38 53 03.32	76 58 17.90	31 06 01 154 31 21	Lunatic Asylum	211 05 08 334 30 03	3942.8 6939.8	4311.8 7589.1	2.45 4.31
U. S. Arsenal, flag-staff	38 51 48.17	77 00 45.58	183 48 38 305 02 08	Military Asylum	3 48 53 125 02 48	8591.2 1861.1	9395.1 2035.2	5.35 1.16
Fort Carroll, flag-staff	38 50 15.25	77 00 04.72	148 03 19 196 36 49	Naval Observat'y, signal Lunatic Asylum	328 01 37 16 37 03	7403.1 1884.5	8055.8 2068.8	4.60 1.17
Jones Point light-house	38 47 21.97	77 02 08.58	206 14 36 251 02 28	Lunatic Asylum	26 16 08 71 03 45	7970.8 3148.6	8716.6 3443.2	4.95 1.96
Young's house, Geesborough Point.	38 50 53.80	77 00 48.93	192 23 53 246 57 25	Coast Survey Office	12 24 17 68 58 07	4206.8 1719.3	4600.4 1880.2	2.61 1.07
Arlington House, east apex	38 52 48.81	77 01 03.36	218 27 54 294 56 36	Military Asylum	38 30 13 114 59 20	8574.2 6939.5	9376.5 7588.8	5.33 4.31
Hospital house, cupola	38 52 00.45	77 03 49.00	206 04 08 211 18 08	Naval Observat'y, signal Military Asylum	26 04 47 31 20 18	3381.4 9601.6	3697.8 10500.0	2.10 5.97
White House, cupola	38 51 28.96	77 03 42.21	207 44 17 274 35 50	Military Asylum	27 46 23 94 38 20	10366.5 5801.7	11336.5 6344.6	6.44 3.60
Georgetown College, east tower	38 51 23.90	77 04 05.13	306 27 17 312 45 48	Naval Observat'y, signal Lunatic Asylum	126 28 06 132 48 33	2331.7 8628.3	2549.9 9435.7	1.45 5.36
Foundry No. 1, black pipe	38 52 23.75	76 59 22.83	115 13 16 12 19 21	Naval Observat'y, signal Lunatic Asylum	295 11 07 192 19 09	5445.4 2207.2	5954.9 2413.8	3.38 1.37
Foundry No. 2, red pipe	38 52 23.98	76 59 28.43	115 46 22 8 49 48	Naval Observat'y, signal Lunatic Asylum	295 44 17 188 49 39	5330.6 2189.1	5818.5 2394.0	3.31 1.36
Smithsonian Institution, rod on highest tower.	38 53 16.64	77 01 16.18	280 44 27 192 35 44	Coast Survey Office	100 45 08 12 36 18	1587.5 5998.4	1736.0 6559.7	0.99 3.73
<i>Washington Defenses.</i>								
Fort Ethan Allen, flag-staff	38 55 23.41	77 07 11.15	296 52 55 346 04 46	Naval Observatory, dome Seminary, new steeple ..	116 55 41 166 06 00	7121.2 11856.2	7787.5 12965.6	4.43 7.37
Battery Cameron, flag-staff	38 54 50.00	77 04 59.19	73 47 17 107 58 49	Hall's house Ft. Ethan Allen, flag-staff	253 45 45 287 57 26	3693.9 3311.4	4039.6 3654.0	2.29 2.08
Fort Marcy, flag-staff	38 56 03.17	77 07 16.93	394 12 30 253 43 12	Batt'y Cameron, flag-staff Blunt's house	124 13 56 73 44 52	4012.9 3989.6	4388.4 4362.9	2.49 2.48
Battery Kemble, station	38 55 46.32	77 05 22.08	238 09 58 45 49 53	Batt'y Cameron, flag-staff Hall's house	158 10 16 225 48 39	1869.9 3973.5	3044.8 4345.3	1.16 2.47
Battery Parrott, station	38 55 11.47	77 05 08.29	341 37 48 247 21 42	Batt'y Cameron, flag-staff Kengley's house	161 37 54 67 22 20	697.7 1583.4	763.0 1731.5	0.43 0.98
Battery Vermont, flag-staff	38 56 09.86	77 06 15.64	302 22 03 82 04 14	Battery Kemble	122 22 33 262 03 36	1356.5 1490.6	1483.4 1630.1	0.84 0.93
Fort DeKalb, flag-staff	38 53 44.68	77 05 00.71	273 09 51 201 17 06	Naval Observatory, dome Kengley's house	93 11 15 21 17 39	3213.5 3536.1	3514.2 3856.1	2.00 2.19
Fort Woodbury, flag-staff	38 53 20.11	77 04 41.02	147 58 05 258 01 33	Fort DeKalb, flag-staff ..	327 57 53 78 02 44	893.9 2793.7	977.6 3055.1	0.56 1.74
Arlington, flag-staff in front of house.	38 52 48.80	77 04 02.60	264 12 27 235 00 29	Coast Survey Office	84 14 52 115 03 12	5599.0 6922.4	6122.8 7570.1	3.48 4.30
Fort Corcoran, flag-staff	38 53 39.80	77 04 15.92	270 45 09 348 26 43	Naval Observatory, dome Arlington, flag-staff	90 46 04 168 26 51	2128.4 1604.8	2327.6 1754.9	1.32 1.00
Fort Cass, flag-staff	38 53 02.05	77 04 43.03	209 17 35 268 37 37	Fort Corcoran, flag-staff ..	29 17 52 88 40 28	1334.4 6546.4	1459.2 7158.9	0.83 4.07
Fort Tillinghast, flag-staff	38 52 41.87	77 04 44.35	237 59 15 168 28 45	Naval Observatory, dome Fort DeKalb, flag-staff ..	58 00 28 348 28 35	3318.9 1976.0	3629.4 2169.9	2.06 1.23
Fort Bennett, flag-staff	38 53 54.18	77 04 23.20	281 32 57 187 10 13	Naval Observatory, dome Kengley's house	101 33 57 7 10 23	2351.8 3015.3	2571.9 3297.4	1.46 1.87
Fort Sumner, Redoubt Kirby, flag-staff, (Fort Franklin.)	38 57 19.02	77 07 08.00	1 13 00 5 15 02	Ft. Ethan Allen, flag-staff	181 12 58 185 14 56	3565.9 2348.3	3899.6 2568.0	2.22 1.46
Fort Sumner, Redoubt Cross, flag-staff, (Fort Ripley.)	38 57 13.73	77 07 03.86	2 56 43 8 14 12	Ft. Ethan Allen, flag-staff	182 56 38 188 14 04	3405.8 2198.2	3724.4 2403.9	2.12 1.37
Fort Sumner, Redoubt Davis, flag-staff, (Fort Alexander.)	38 57 15.13	77 07 11.50	3 42 46 317 39 20	Hall's house	183 42 37 137 40 25	5515.3 3699.5	6031.4 4045.7	3.43 2.30
Fort Sumner, camp, flag-staff ..	38 57 11.98	77 07 10.33	194 31 10 163 45 59	Redoubt Kirby, flag-staff ..	14 31 11 343 45 58	224.4 101.2	245.4 110.7	0.14 0.06

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	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Fort Gaines, flag-staff.....	38 56 18.23	77 04 56.22	118 18 48 119 07 23	Redoubt Davis, flag-staff. Redoubt Cross, flag-staff.	298 17 23 299 06 03	3699.7 3517.5	4045.9 3846.6	2.30 2.19
Battery Scott, station.....	38 55 46.35	77 06 22.90	193 35 18 159 11 10	Batt'y Vermont, flag-staff. Redoubt Kirby, flag-staff.	13 35 23 339 10 42	745.7 3057.1	815.4 3343.2	0.46 1.90
Fort Mansfield, flag-staff.....	38 57 06.08	77 05 48.55	319 30 05 101 47 43	Fort Gaines, flag-staff. Redoubt Kirby, flag-staff.	139 30 38 281 46 53	1940.6 1954.3	2122.2 2137.2	1.21 1.21
Fort C. F. Smith, station, (Fort McDowell.)	38 54 01.16	77 05 11.17	281 12 45 296 18 29	Naval Observatory, dome Fort Corcoran, flag-staff.	101 14 15 116 19 04	3527.6 1484.8	3857.7 1633.7	2.19 0.92
Fort Reno, old flag-staff.....	38 57 07.22	77 04 23.22	39 59 40 282 09 56	Hall's house Military Asylum.....	219 57 45 102 12 28	6869.4 5945.6	7512.2 6501.9	4.27 3.69
Fort Reno, new flag-staff, (after April 27, 1861.)	38 57 07.21	77 04 23.13	40 00 19 85 12 42	Hall's house Langley church.....	219 58 24 265 09 36	6868.6 7157.5	7511.3 7827.2	4.27 4.45
Fort Kearney, flag-staff.....	38 57 12.46	77 03 25.42	59 43 24 83 21 36	Blunt's house Fort Reno, old flag-staff.	239 42 39 263 21 00	2020.6 1400.3	2209.7 1531.3	1.26 0.87
Fort Lincoln, new flag-staff.....	38 55 27.51	76 57 14.95	191 40 33 112 00 52	Agricultural College.... Military Asylum.....	11 41 08 291 58 55	6614.3 4855.0	7233.2 5309.3	4.11 3.02
Fort Saratoga, flag-staff.....	38 55 43.18	76 58 25.50	115 29 13 285 52 42	Military Asylum..... Ft. Lincoln, new flag-staff.	295 28 00 105 53 26	3105.2 1767.4	3395.8 1932.8	1.93 1.10
Fort Totten, flag-staff.....	38 56 48.81	76 59 59.72	311 43 25 37 48 11	Fort Saratoga, flag-staff. Military Asylum.....	131 44 24 217 48 27	3040.5 871.0	3324.9 952.5	1.89 0.54
Fort Bunker Hill, flag-staff.....	38 56 03.66	76 59 00.41	109 44 10 306 53 52	Military Asylum..... Fort Saratoga, flag-staff.	289 43 19 126 54 14	2084.5 1051.8	2279.5 1150.2	1.30 0.65
Battery Slemmer, flag-staff.....	38 56 18.77	76 59 42.91	294 27 44 300 28 56	Ft. Bunker Hill, flag-staff. Fort Saratoga, flag-staff.	114 28 11 120 29 45	1124.0 2163.7	1229.2 2366.1	0.70 1.34
Fort Slocum, flag-staff.....	38 57 33.71	77 00 20.12	320 59 27 1 10 45	Fort Saratoga, flag-staff. Military Asylum.....	141 00 39 181 10 44	4385.9 2073.0	4796.3 2267.0	2.73 1.29
Fort Thayer, flag-staff.....	38 55 38.62	76 57 59.98	117 57 34 113 22 10	Ft. Bunker Hill, flag-staff. Military Asylum.....	297 56 56 293 20 41	1648.7 3722.5	1803.0 4070.8	1.02 2.31
Fort Stevens, flag-staff.....	38 57 47.16	77 01 23.57	311 42 14 285 10 22	Fort Totten, flag-staff.... Fort Slocum, flag-staff....	131 43 07 105 11 02	2704.3 1582.7	2957.3 1730.8	1.68 0.98
Fort DeRussy, station on parapet.	38 57 45.63	77 02 45.36	152 59 50 268 36 56	Blunt's House..... Fort Stevens, flag-staff....	232 58 39 88 37 47	3392.4 1969.8	3709.8 2154.1	2.11 1.22
Fort Mahan, flag-staff.....	38 53 39.52	76 56 22.78	79 43 49 159 19 03	Coast Survey Office..... Ft. Lincoln, new flag-staff.	259 41 25 339 18 30	5600.6 3558.5	6124.7 3891.5	3.48 2.21
Fort Bayard, small flag-staff.....	38 57 15.64	77 05 10.68	348 51 25 324 44 02	Fort Gaines, flag-staff.... Blunt's House.....	168 51 34 144 44 23	1803.3 1368.7	1972.0 1496.7	1.12 0.85
Fort Simmons, flag-staff.....	38 57 03.27	77 05 33.57	298 44 59 235 14 17	Blunt's House..... Fort Bayard, flag-staff....	118 45 34 55 14 31	1529.1 669.9	1672.2 732.6	0.95 0.42
Fort Richardson, flag-staff.....	38 51 25.69	77 04 24.75	15 31 04 209 40 53	Seminary, new steeple.... Naval Observatory, dome	195 30 34 29 41 54	4335.9 4727.4	4741.7 5169.7	2.69 2.94
Fort Albany, flag-staff.....	38 51 51.82	77 03 40.72	24 02 07 201 12 02	Seminary, new steeple.... Naval Observatory, dome	204 01 09 21 12 35	5456.8 3541.4	5967.4 3872.7	3.39 2.20
Fort Greble, flag-staff.....	38 49 29.78	77 00 37.04	157 43 51 202 19 51	Naval Observatory, dome Lunatic Asylum.....	337 42 29 22 20 25	8300.7 3468.4	9077.4 3792.9	5.16 2.15
Fort Meigs, flag-staff.....	38 52 23.10	76 55 32.16	156 27 54 101 24 49	Ft. Lincoln, new flag-staff. Coast Survey Office.....	336 26 49 281 21 51	6201.3 6865.5	6781.5 7507.9	3.85 4.27
Fort Scott, flag-staff.....	38 50 48.24	77 03 17.00	163 43 28 261 18 48	Fort Albany, flag-staff.... Lunatic Asylum.....	343 43 13 81 21 03	2041.7 5234.5	2232.8 5724.3	1.27 3.25
Fort Carroll, new flag-staff.....	38 50 13.35	77 00 05.94	29 10 42 196 57 19	Fort Greble, flag-staff.... Lunatic Asylum.....	209 10 22 16 57 34	1538.0 1949.3	1681.9 2131.7	0.96 1.21
Fort Craig, flag-staff.....	38 52 10.22	77 04 34.90	254 32 55 349 53 06	Coast Survey Office..... Ft. Richardson, flag-staff.	74 35 41 169 53 12	6586.5 1394.6	7202.8 1525.1	4.09 0.87
Fort Barnard, flag-staff.....	38 50 54.20	77 05 14.55	231 02 41 265 39 08	Ft. Richardson, flag-staff. Lunatic Asylum.....	51 03 12 85 42 36	1544.0 8031.3	1688.5 8782.8	0.96 4.99
Fort Blenker, flag-staff.....	38 50 14.42	77 05 16.80	257 10 32 209 43 51	Lunatic Asylum..... Ft. Richardson, flag-staff.	77 14 02 29 44 24	8268.8 2530.5	9042.5 2767.2	5.14 1.57
Fort Ward, flag-staff.....	38 49 45.83	77 05 50.09	211 27 25 320 41 10	Naval Observatory, dome Seminary, new steeple....	31 29 20 140 41 33	8425.1 1419.6	9213.5 1552.4	5.24 0.88
Fort Ramsay, flag-staff.....	38 52 18.87	77 08 32.29	227 03 32 251 15 16	Kengley's house..... Ft. Woodbury, flag-staff.	47 06 16 71 17 41	8709.4 5824.0	9524.4 6434.6	5.41 3.66

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Section III.—Washington Defenses.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
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Fort Ellsworth, flag-staff.....	38 48 27.07	77 03 55.66	125 31 10 212 02 07	Seminary, new steeple Coast Survey Office.....	305 30 22 32 01 28	2287.8 10186.1	2501.8 11139.2	1.42 6.33
Fort Lyon, flag-staff.....	38 47 31.77	77 04 20.56	224 22 57 157 24 36	Lunatic Asylum Seminary, new steeple.....	44 25 51 337 24 03	9586.3 3288.2	10483.3 3595.9	5.96 2.04
Fort Worth, flag-staff.....	38 48 52.32	77 05 37.52	282 22 37 242 58 35	Oxon Hill..... Lunatic Asylum.....	102 26 05 63 02 17	8908.7 9610.8	8976.8 10510.1	5.10 5.97
Fort Buffalo, station.....	38 52 15.06	77 09 07.24	315 13 34 262 03 22	Seminary, new steeple Fort Ramsay, flag-staff.....	135 16 01 82 03 44	8027.0 851.1	8778.1 930.7	4.99 0.53
Munson's Hill, flag.....	38 51 32.97	77 08 25.59	313 25 53 173 29 37	Seminary, new steeple Fort Ramsay, flag-staff.....	133 27 54 353 29 33	6401.4 1424.8	7000.3 1558.1	3.98 0.89
Fort Dupont, flag-staff.....	38 52 19.00	76 56 07.48	171 33 33 81 32 00	Fort Mahan, flag-staff..... Fort Meigs, flag-staff.....	351 33 23 81 32 00	2510.2 840.4	2745.1 940.9	1.56 0.53
Fort Ricketts, flag-staff.....	38 51 21.40	76 58 14.01	139 01 31 83 44 56	Coast Survey Office..... Lunatic Asylum.....	319 00 17 263 44 01	4315.8 2143.2	4719.6 2343.7	2.68 1.33
Fort Stanton, flag-staff.....	38 51 26.44	76 58 36.12	76 18 51 143 29 11	Lunatic Asylum..... Coast Survey Office.....	256 18 09 323 28 11	1644.4 3860.4	1798.3 4221.6	1.02 2.40
Fort Snyder, flag-staff.....	38 50 39.05	76 59 02.61	203 39 32 138 13 31	Fort Stanton, flag-staff..... Lunatic Asylum.....	23 39 49 318 13 06	1595.6 1437.6	1744.9 1572.1	0.99 0.89
Fort Wagner, flag-staff.....	38 51 31.45	76 57 52.15	131 17 39 59 27 17	Coast Survey Office..... Fort Ricketts, flag-staff.....	311 16 11 239 27 03	4469.1 611.5	4877.3 668.7	2.78 0.38
Fort Baker, flag-staff.....	38 51 37.76	76 57 33.96	155 31 28 125 57 48	Military Asylum..... Coast Survey Office.....	335 32 43 305 56 09	9778.9 4689.4	10693.9 5128.2	6.08 2.91
Fort Davis, flag-staff.....	38 51 56.54	76 56 47.91	63 27 57 242 27 03	Fort Wagner, flag-staff..... Fort Baker, flag-staff.....	243 27 17 242 26 34	1731.1 1251.9	1893.1 1369.1	1.08 0.78
Montgomery Blair's house.....	38 50 25.92	77 01 38.41	42 51 45 341 34 32	Fort Reno, old flag-staff..... Military Asylum.....	222 50 01 161 35 20	5833.9 5830.9	6379.8 6376.5	3.62 3.62
Headquarters flag-staff near Fort Corcoran.	38 53 46.68	77 04 11.35	276 46 17 27 25 26	Naval Observatory, dome Fort Corcoran, flag-staff.....	96 47 10 207 25 23	2033.2 228.4	2223.4 260.7	1.26 0.15
<i>Alexandria and vicinity.</i>								
Lyon.....	38 47 23.06	77 04 19.30	260 48 53 223 09 59	Oxon Hill..... Lunatic Asylum.....	80 51 32 43 12 53	6211.4 9759.0	6792.6 10672.1	3.86 6.06
Erin.....	38 46 45.23	77 05 36.02	254 51 46 237 46 41	Oxon Hill..... Lyon.....	74 55 13 57 47 29	8269.8 2188.3	9043.6 2393.1	5.14 1.36
Worth.....	38 48 49.55	77 05 37.06	324 52 03 281 48 16	Lyon..... Oxon Hill.....	144 52 52 101 51 44	3260.5 8180.9	3565.5 8946.4	2.03 5.08
Ellsworth.....	38 48 26.65	77 03 51.45	280 04 25 18 55 19	Oxon Hill..... Lyon.....	100 06 47 198 55 02	5545.1 2072.8	6064.0 2286.8	3.45 1.29
Gravelly.....	38 51 57.57	77 01 53.94	229 03 24 293 02 07	Coast Survey Office..... Lunatic Asylum.....	49 04 28 113 03 30	3269.8 3446.4	3575.7 3768.9	2.03 2.14
Hunter.....	38 50 42.01	77 02 04.68	186 20 28 254 01 59	Gravelly..... Lunatic Asylum.....	6 20 34 74 03 28	2344.3 3568.3	2593.6 3942.2	1.46 2.22
Dangerfield.....	38 49 41.69	77 02 00.91	229 36 38 177 12 24	Lunatic Asylum..... Hunter.....	49 38 05 357 12 22	4385.1 1861.9	4795.4 2036.1	2.73 1.16
Mount Vernon Hotel.....	38 52 25.92	77 00 53.15	218 22 53 59 11 28	Coast Survey Office..... Gravelly.....	38 23 19 239 10 50	1618.0 1706.1	1769.3 1845.8	1.01 1.06
Gillingham's house, chimney..	38 46 34.06	77 04 38.29	196 51 59 161 15 12	Lyon..... Worth.....	16 52 11 341 14 35	1578.6 4411.6	1726.3 4824.3	0.98 2.74
Johnson's house, chimney.....	38 47 18.40	77 04 00.24	107 21 32 140 16 39	Lyon..... Worth.....	287 21 20 320 15 38	482.0 3654.5	527.1 3996.4	0.30 2.27
A. Racker's house, west chim- ney.	38 46 39.90	77 05 37.14	234 40 43 189 22 28	Lyon..... Erin.....	54 41 32 9 22 29	2302.1 166.4	2517.5 182.0	1.43 0.10
C. Rozier's house, west gable..	38 46 28.09	77 00 50.08	201 59 09 108 34 19	Oxon Hill..... Lyon.....	21 59 37 288 32 08	2894.5 5326.1	3165.3 5824.5	1.80 3.31
Hunting Creek Bridge, flag.....	38 47 30.09	77 03 06.39	262 58 46 123 59 24	Lyon..... Worth.....	262 58 00 303 57 50	1772.8 4383.6	1938.7 4793.7	1.10 2.72
Fowl's house, cupola.....	38 47 43.89	77 05 30.03	290 37 11 173 12 30	Lyon..... Worth.....	110 37 55 355 12 26	1823.5 2631.4	1994.1 2821.4	1.13 1.26
Square yellow house, cupola.....	38 49 05.67	77 04 22.74	358 30 02 74 30 55	Lyon..... Worth.....	178 30 04 254 30 08	3164.9 1860.5	3461.1 2034.5	1.97 1.16

GEOGRAPHICAL POSITIONS—Continued.

Section III.—Alexandria and vicinity.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
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Alexandria Hotel, tower.....	38 48 15.72	77 02 14.10	111 17 10 175 24 47	Seminary, new steeple .. Naval Observat'y, signal	291 15 18 355 24 26	4627.3 9998.8	5060.3 10934.4	2.88 6.21
Alexandria market-house, cu- pola.	38 48 16.19	77 02 18.20	111 33 56 214 26 59	Seminary, new steeple .. Lunatic Asylum	291 32 07 34 28 37	4530.5 6642.1	4954.4 7263.6	2.82 4.13
Alexandria, Christ Church.....	38 48 19.26	77 02 33.83	178 06 47 217 31 29	Naval Observat'y, signal Lunatic Asylum	358 06 39 37 33 17	9863.1 6787.3	10786.0 7422.4	6.13 4.22
Alexandria, St. Mary's Church...	38 48 03.33	77 02 20.73	176 27 40 213 01 09	Naval Observat'y, signal. Lunatic Asylum	356 27 23 33 02 48	10368.4 7005.9	11338.6 7661.5	6.44 4.35
Alexandria, Baptist Church ...	38 48 19.87	77 02 22.04	176 27 19 215 40 27	Naval Observat'y, signal. Lunatic Asylum	356 27 03 35 42 07	9857.6 6602.8	10780.0 7230.7	6.13 4.10
Machine shop, brown cupola ...	38 48 33.78	77 02 26.31	51 21 16 183 54 01	Lyon	231 20 05 263 53 08	3491.3 2065.7	3818.0 2258.9	2.17 1.28
Coal on northern wharf	38 48 47.74	77 01 53.40	175 35 12 179 52 24	Hunter	355 35 05 359 52 24	3533.8 5853.4	3864.5 6401.1	2.20 3.64
Marbury	38 48 53.99	77 01 22.47	163 00 45 147 46 55	Hunter	343 00 19 327 46 31	3482.7 1739.6	3808.6 1902.4	2.16 1.08
Stick	38 49 47.74	77 01 14.07	80 36 55 143 54 07	Dangerfield	260 36 26 323 53 35	1144.9 2070.8	1252.1 2264.6	0.71 1.29
North draw of Long Bridge, flag- staff.	38 52 55.35	77 01 38.05	12 07 46 318 17 58	Gravelly	192 07 36 138 19 11	1821.9 4192.1	1992.4 4584.4	1.13 2.61
Telegraph pole	38 52 36.16	77 01 51.53	248 26 27 2 47 32	Coast Survey Office	68 27 30 182 47 30	2593.1 1191.3	2835.7 1302.7	1.61 0.74
Wharf-house, northwest gable...	38 51 27.35	76 59 58.90	174 22 29 65 15 44	Coast Survey Office	354 22 21 245 11 25	3089.2 3339.3	3378.3 3651.8	1.92 2.07
Anacostia Bridge, flag	38 52 13.03	76 59 09.12	23 43 01 236 21 20	Lunatic Asylum	203 42 40 56 23 04	1993.7 4214.5	2180.2 5265.0	1.24 2.99
Poplar Point	38 51 54.20	76 59 51.25	350 15 11 167 46 12	Lunatic Asylum	170 15 16 317 45 59	1263.2 2298.8	1381.4 2513.9	0.79 1.43
Arsenal wharf, white pile	38 51 40.15	77 00 51.79	44 26 17 178 39 56	Hunter	224 25 31 358 39 55	2510.4 1411.8	2745.3 1543.9	1.56 0.88
<i>Eastern Shore of Maryland and Virginia.</i>								
Ragged Point	37 58 37.37	75 17 36.93	87 08 16 162 03 53	Snead	267 03 15 342 03 04	12088.0 6311.3	13219.0 6901.8	7.51 3.92
Pope's Bay	38 01 08.11	75 14 40.58	102 17 16 72 14 48	Hardy's Hole Island	282 14 38 252 07 55	6389.9 17196.2	6987.8 18605.3	3.97 10.68
Big Bay Point	38 04 55.96	75 16 58.32	334 26 24 26 58 38	Pope's Bay	154 27 49 206 57 40	7785.7 6388.5	8514.2 6953.5	4.84 3.95
Green Beach	38 04 49.52	75 11 51.27	91 32 39 31 10 32	Big Bay Point	271 29 30 211 08 47	7481.8 7976.6	8185.1 8722.9	4.65 4.96
Robbin's Point	38 09 20.85	75 15 50.39	325 07 55 11 27 32	Green Beach	145 10 23 191 26 50	10192.5 8332.4	11146.2 9112.0	6.33 5.18
Long Point	38 00 11.17	75 21 56.74	234 39 42 294 30 02	Hardy's Hole Island	54 41 33 114 32 38	5383.4 6967.3	5887.1 7619.2	3.35 4.33
Robbin's Cupola	38 08 54.48	75 16 55.30	0 34 32 315 32 09	Big Bay Point	180 34 30 135 35 17	7353.7 10576.9	8041.7 11566.5	4.57 6.57
Hawk's Nest	38 05 08.97	75 12 42.88	86 19 59 149 33 22	Big Bay Point	266 17 22 329 31 26	6237.3 9008.5	6820.9 9851.4	3.88 5.60
Lonesome House	37 59 26.67	75 16 56.04	226 33 53 146 45 07	Pope's Bay	46 35 16 326 43 53	4549.5 5363.3	4975.2 5865.1	2.83 3.33
Marsh Point House	37 57 30.25	75 24 53.95	135 58 52 221 03 38	Snead	315 58 17 41 05 27	2026.1 6581.1	2215.7 7196.9	1.26 4.09
<i>Vicinity of Baltimore, Md.</i>								
ROSANNE	39 17 27.50	76 42 45.84						
WASHINGTON MONUMENT	39 17 47.81	76 36 38.58	85 57 41	Rosanne	265 53 48	8821.7	9647.2	5.48
Oak	39 16 15.73	76 40 02.38	119 28 49 239 48 25	Rosanne	299 27 06 59 50 34	4499.3 5649.1	4920.3 6177.7	2.80 3.51

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Section III.—Vicinity of Baltimore, Md.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
De Sales.....	39 17 03.30	76 43 01.13	261 27 05 288 53 22	Washington Monument. Oak.....	81 31 07 108 55 15	9268.6 4528.1	10135.8 4951.8	5.76 2.81
Druid.....	39 19 21.21	76 38 31.70	316 44 17 56 38 46	Washington Monument. De Sales.....	136 45 28 236 35 56	3954.3 7729.7	4324.3 8453.0	2.46 4.80
Clifton.....	39 19 11.74	76 34 56.32	43 26 05 71 12 52	Washington Monument. De Sales.....	223 25 00 251 07 45	3563.2 12271.4	3896.6 13419.6	2.21 7.62
Alms, corner of building.....	39 17 20.30	76 32 50.49	88 00 09 98 50 35	De Sales..... Washington Monument.	267 53 42 278 48 11	14642.1 5530.4	16012.2 6047.8	9.10 3.44
Pious Hill.....	39 20 11.74	76 33 21.95	50 42 10 46 43 00	Clifton..... Washington Monument.	230 41 10 226 40 56	2221.1 6471.5	3194.4 7077.0	1.82 4.02
House of Refuge.....	39 15 47.86	76 43 06.96	241 49 20 248 17 26	Clifton..... Washington Monument.	61 54 31 68 21 32	13331.5 10015.6	14578.9 10952.7	8.28 6.22
Mount Alto.....	39 19 02.93	76 40 14.87	50 52 54 47 12 48	Rosanne..... De Sales.....	230 51 18 227 11 03	4662.5 5428.8	5098.7 5936.7	2.90 3.37
McDonald's house, cupola.....	39 20 15.82	76 36 28.58	60 16 45 311 48 26	Druid..... Clifton.....	240 15 27 131 49 24	3395.0 2964.3	3712.7 3241.7	2.11 1.84
Woodlawn House.....	39 19 35.14	76 37 35.02	337 46 31 72 26 39	Washington Monument. Druid.....	157 47 07 252 26 03	3575.1 1423.6	3909.6 1556.8	2.22 0.88
St. John's Church, spire.....	39 19 28.25	76 36 14.48	86 14 04 285 13 01	Druid..... Clifton.....	266 12 37 105 13 49	3293.4 1939.7	3601.5 2121.2	2.05 1.21
Green Mount Cemetery, spire.....	39 18 22.67	76 36 09.06	117 51 53 229 01 04	Druid..... Clifton.....	297 50 23 49 01 50	3864.2 2307.5	4225.8 2523.4	2.40 1.43
Baltimore Cemetery, spire.....	39 18 41.96	76 34 33.25	148 56 29 315 38 30	Clifton..... Alms.....	328 56 14 135 39 35	1071.9 3521.3	1172.2 3850.8	0.67 2.19
Hospital.....	39 17 47.07	76 35 12.63	283 36 58 90 39 13	Alms..... Washington Monument.	103 38 28 270 38 19	3504.2 2059.4	3832.1 2252.1	2.18 1.28
Fort Marshall, flagstaff.....	39 17 04.22	76 33 47.27	185 58 58 157 11 14	Pious Hill..... Clifton.....	5 59 14 337 10 30	5814.2 4266.1	6358.2 4665.3	3.61 2.65
Fort McHenry, flagstaff, 1866....	39 15 44.21	76 34 28.12	140 38 53 173 58 26	Washington Monument. Clifton.....	320 37 31 353 58 08	4929.4 6434.9	5390.7 7037.1	3.06 4.00
<i>Patapsco River, Md.</i>								
NORTH POINT, UPPER LIGHT.....	39 11 46.02	76 26 35.88	343 15 10	Bodkin.....	163 16 04	7217.0	7892.3	4.48
NORTH POINT, LOWER LIGHT.....	39 11 35.87	76 26 12.49	347 02 32	Bodkin.....	167 03 11	6770.6	7404.2	4.21
Rock Point, 1866.....	39 09 58.72	76 28 24.16	218 07 26 226 29 43	North Point, upper light. North Point, lower light.	38 08 34 46 31 06	4207.3 4334.1	4601.0 4761.5	2.61 2.71
Seven Feet Knoll light.....	39 09 16.07	76 24 14.36	146 40 30 102 23 13	North Point, lower light. Rock Point, 1866.....	326 39 16 282 20 35	5160.0 6138.0	5642.8 6712.3	3.21 3.81
Sparrow Point, 1866.....	39 12 38.02	76 29 07.41	294 31 13 293 47 03	North Point, lower light. North Point, upper light.	114 33 03 113 48 38	4611.9 3972.5	5043.5 4344.2	2.87 2.47
Swan Point, 1866.....	39 08 28.85	76 16 29.35	112 26 34 112 43 09	North Point, lower light. North Point, upper light.	292 20 26 292 36 46	15138.9 15776.6	16555.4 17252.8	9.41 9.80
Sandy Point Light.....	39 01 07.52	76 23 28.77	167 09 13 169 18 19	North Point, upper light. Bodkin.....	347 07 15 349 17 16	20195.0 13003.5	22084.6 14220.2	12.55 8.08
Gibson's Island, 1866.....	39 04 36.53	76 25 09.35	180 00 59 240 07 16	Bodkin..... Swan Point, 1866.....	0 00 59 60 12 44	6332.2 14399.8	6924.7 15747.2	3.93 8.95
Hawkins Point, 1866.....	39 12 31.96	76 31 41.09	267 04 30 314 58 47	Sparrow Point, 1866..... Rock Point, 1866.....	87 06 07 135 00 51	3690.4 6681.7	4035.7 7306.9	2.29 4.15
Fort Carroll light.....	39 12 49.67	76 30 50.21	278 16 11 326 22 10	Sparrow Point, 1866..... Rock Point, 1866.....	98 17 16 146 23 42	2491.3 6329.2	2724.4 6921.5	1.55 3.93
Sollers Point.....	39 13 36.68	76 30 30.37	312 16 00 40 21 44	Sparrow Point, 1866..... Hawkins Point, 1866.....	132 16 53 220 21 00	2688.3 2620.9	2939.9 2866.2	1.67 1.63
Fishing Point.....	39 13 47.50	76 33 30.38	274 23 44 311 36 51	Sollers Point..... Hawkins Point, 1866.....	94 25 38 131 38 00	4329.0 3506.0	4734.0 3834.1	2.69 2.18
Front Range light.....	39 12 25.10	76 31 39.50	170 12 33 133 42 09	Hawkins Point, 1866..... Fishing Point.....	350 12 32 313 40 59	213.2 3675.4	233.1 4019.3	0.13 2.28
Back Range light.....	39 12 46.01	76 32 48.99	284 55 40 244 50 54	Hawkins Point, 1866..... Sollers Point.....	104 56 23 64 52 22	1687.6 3674.4	1845.5 4018.2	1.05 2.28
Buchanan.....	39 15 26.60	76 32 20.48	350 02 51 322 04 32	Hawkins Point, 1866..... Sollers Point.....	170 03 16 142 05 42	5467.1 4296.0	5978.7 4698.0	3.40 2.67

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Section III.—Patapasco River, Md.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Alma House, cupola	39 17 20.08	76 32 47.97	349 45 32 8 49 01	Hawkins Point, 1866	169 46 34	9027.3	9872.0	5.61
White house, center	39 06 02.35	76 25 31.60	250 49 26 188 16 20	Fishing Point	188 48 34	6633.3	7254.0	4.12
Solitary tree	39 07 04.33	76 25 40.00	202 38 10 258 49 40	Swan Point, 1866	70 55 08	13785.2	15075.1	8.57
Large tree	39 08 04.31	76 26 05.41	173 53 53 178 30 04	Bodkin	8 16 34	3724.6	4073.1	2.31
Straight tree	39 08 28.56	76 26 40.24	180 58 53 186 34 06	Bodkin	22 38 29	1916.4	2095.7	1.19
White House, largest chimney ..	39 07 30.07	76 25 44.49	174 55 22 171 07 45	Swan Point, 1866	78 55 28	13477.4	14738.5	8.37
Large unpainted house, south- west chimney.	39 12 38.32	76 26 52.39	346 12 21 24 06 45	North Point, upper light ..	353 53 34	6875.6	7518.9	4.27
House at Rock Creek, north end ..	39 09 13.27	76 29 15.96	219 10 47 225 00 26	North Point, lower light ..	358 30 00	6526.5	7137.2	4.05
House with window near top, southwest gable.	39 14 21.23	76 30 27.85	76 38 09 27 31 12	North Point, upper light ..	0 58 56	6090.0	6659.8	3.78
Hancock's House, chimney	39 09 42.38	76 28 39.05	301 34 56 217 46 12	North Point, lower light ..	6 34 23	5814.5	6358.5	3.61
Two-story white house, with green blinds, chimney.	39 10 41.65	76 31 30.74	257 36 23 254 17 25	North Point, upper light ..	354 55 04	7609.6	8321.6	4.73
Two-story unpainted house, north chimney.	39 11 15.45	76 31 43.27	265 25 19 262 40 25	North Point, upper light ..	351 07 13	7988.4	8735.9	4.96
Bird nest tree	39 12 47.40	76 28 17.50	307 48 39 1 45 35	North Point, upper light ..	166 12 31	1660.0	1815.3	1.03
House on Sparrow Point, cupola ..	39 12 58.97	76 29 13.91	347 52 37 346 25 57	Rock Point, 1866	204 05 47	5391.5	5895.9	3.35
New shed, west end	39 14 58.36	76 31 17.79	7 03 03 120 05 18	North Point, lower light ..	39 12 28	6078.6	6647.4	3.78
Blazed tree	39 12 31.50	76 31 39.85	115 47 26	North Point, lower light ..	45 02 22	6230.0	6812.9	3.87
Red Range mark	39 12 31.28	76 31 59.97	312 13 55 267 18 07	Fishing Point	256 36 14	4497.1	4917.9	2.79
White Range mark	39 12 26.54	76 31 44.10	313 30 50 203 19 32	Hawkins Point, 1866	207 30 26	3799.1	4154.6	2.36
Robinson's house, chimney	39 12 38.97	76 33 07.64	192 20 11 165 31 54	North Point, upper light ..	121 37 08	5911.5	6464.6	3.67
J. L. Sutton's house, with flat roof, southeast chimney.	39 15 42.11	76 31 43.81	61 27 13 35 51 48	North Point, upper light ..	37 47 30	4824.3	5275.7	3.00
J. L. Sutton's large brick house, southeast chimney.	39 15 30.71	76 31 35.92	83 14 31 40 46 20	North Point, lower light ..	77 39 44	7816.2	8547.6	4.86
White barn, cupola	39 15 31.66	76 31 37.58	0 52 04 81 22 55	North Point, upper light ..	74 20 31	7347.9	8035.4	4.57
Old Canton House, south chim- ney.	39 15 38.37	76 32 51.94	15 05 09 295 40 31	North Point, lower light ..	85 28 48	7962.7	8707.8	4.95
Mrs. Wood's house, chimney	39 15 39.62	76 32 48.78	16 05 09 300 36 56	North Point, upper light ..	82 43 39	7435.9	8131.7	4.62
Bonell's house, chimney	39 15 37.45	76 32 35.89	312 15 35 321 02 29	North Point, upper light ..	127 49 43	3085.6	3374.3	1.92
Graves' house, west chimney	39 15 35.75	76 32 12.80	326 12 33 29 07 32	Rock Point, 1866	181 45 31	5203.8	5690.8	3.23
Graves' barn, west gable	39 15 33.61	76 32 13.90	325 26 33 29 15 46	Rock Point, 1866	167 53 08	5684.5	6216.4	3.53
Lazaretto Furnace, cupola	39 15 40.34	76 33 49.80	308 32 56 281 10 12	Hawkins Point, 1866	166 26 01	664.8	727.0	0.41
R. O. Crisp's two-story white house, chimney.	39 13 35.52	76 34 02.51	244 22 16 299 59 53	Hawkins Point, 1866	187 02 48	4549.0	4974.6	2.83
R. O. Crisp's barn, east gable	39 13 35.67	76 33 59.26	242 13 18 300 38 31	Buchanan	300 04 38	1736.7	1899.2	1.08
				Hawkins Point, 1866	295 47 25	32.9	36.0	0.02
				Rock Point, 1866	132 16 11	6995.0	7649.5	4.35
				Hawkins Point, 1866	87 18 19	453.5	495.9	0.28
				Rock Point, 1866	133 32 56	6616.7	7235.8	4.11
				Hawkins Point, 1866	23 19 34	182.1	199.1	0.11
				Buchanan	12 20 41	5291.5	5786.6	3.29
				Fishing Point	345 31 40	2182.2	2386.4	1.36
				Buchanan	241 26 50	1002.5	1096.3	0.62
				Fishing Point	215 50 41	4361.3	4769.4	2.71
				Buchanan	263 14 03	1075.5	1176.1	0.67
				Fishing Point	220 45 08	4202.3	4593.5	2.61
				Hawkins Point, 1866	180 52 02	5541.5	6060.0	3.44
				Buchanan	261 22 28	1039.8	1137.1	0.65
				Fishing Point	195 04 45	3540.6	3871.9	2.20
				Buchanan	115 40 51	836.6	914.9	0.52
				Fishing Point	196 05 03	3598.2	3934.9	2.24
				Buchanan	120 36 38	788.0	861.7	0.49
				Buchanan	132 15 45	498.6	545.2	0.31
				Sollers Point	141 03 48	4787.2	5233.2	2.97
				Sollers Point	146 13 38	4416.7	4829.9	2.74
				Fishing Point	209 06 43	3821.3	4178.8	2.37
				Sollers Point	145 27 38	4377.1	4786.7	2.72
				Fishing Point	209 14 58	3750.8	4101.8	2.33
				Sollers Point	128 35 02	6114.6	6686.7	3.80
				Buchanan	101 11 08	2182.2	2386.4	1.36
				Fishing Point	64 22 36	854.9	934.9	0.53
				Hawkins Point, 1866	120 01 23	3916.9	4283.4	2.43
				Fishing Point	62 13 36	782.9	856.2	0.49
				Hawkins Point, 1866	120 39 58	3852.0	4212.4	2.39

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Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Yards.	Meters.	Miles.
Lazaretto light.....	39 15 42.45	76 33 50.21	307 44 10 348 57 32	Sollers Point.....	127 46 22 168 57 50	6332.4 3611 0	6924.9 3948.9	3.93 2.24
Red barn with door in end, south gable.	39 15 45.63	76 33 34.60	311 58 31 358 24 25	Sollers Point.....	132 00 28 178 24 28	5942.2 3643.9	6498.2 3964.9	3.69 2.26
Brown barn, south gable.....	39 15 48.19	76 33 31.00	313 05 58 359 45 55	Sollers Point.....	133 07 52 179 45 55	5932.2 3721.5	6487.3 4069.7	3.69 2.31
House on Snow Hill, chimney...	39 12 20.49	76 35 09.66	221 34 45 215 14 17	Fishing Point.....	41 35 48 35 16 04	3587.4 7028.3	3923.1 7066.0	2.23 4.37
G. Crisp's large house with dormer-window, west chimney.	39 14 10.72	76 34 26.16	280 29 21 307 33 00	Sollers Point.....	100 31 50 127 34 44	5750.3 4994.1	6288.3 5461.4	3.57 3.10
Walker's unpainted house, northwest chimney.	39 13 02.66	76 34 03.91	209 10 31 210 12 17	Buchanan.....	29 11 36 30 12 38	5084.2 1600.2	5559.9 1749.9	3.16 0.99
Marine hospital, flag-staff.....	39 14 37.25	76 34 29.83	287 59 17 313 39 22	Sollers Point.....	108 01 48 133 41 09	6037.4 5593.8	6602.3 6117.2	3.75 3.48

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WILLIAMS.....	35 56 07.54	76 38 00.32						
EDENTON COURT-HOUSE.....	36 03 23.77	76 36 11.06	11 30 48	Williams.....	191 29 44	13719.6	15003.3	8.52
Major.....	35 56 40.67	76 41 21.35	281 26 23 211 59 59	Williams.....	101 28 21 32 03 01	5140.4 14652.9	5621.3 16024.0	3.19 9.10
New Capeheart.....	35 58 55.52	76 40 52.21	9 57 53 320 13 42	Major.....	189 57 36 140 15 23	4219.6 6734.2	4614.4 7364.3	2.62 4.18
Eastmost.....	35 56 47.75	76 42 06.21	280 58 43 205 12 25	Major.....	100 59 09 25 13 08	1145.3 4352.4	1252.5 4759.6	0.71 2.70
Hardy.....	35 58 25.02	76 42 30.05	348 43 54 331 50 12	Eastmost.....	168 44 08 151 50 52	3056.7 3647.7	3342.7 3989.0	1.90 2.27
Maple.....	35 56 19.58	76 42 39.68	224 00 28 183 34 13	Eastmost.....	44 00 48 3 34 19	1307.0 3873.4	1330.0 4235.8	0.75 2.41
Cashal.....	35 56 28.06	76 43 15.11	286 23 59 250 38 04	Maple.....	106 24 20 70 38 44	925.7 1830.2	1012.3 2001.4	0.57 1.14
Middle.....	35 56 00.31	76 43 41.57	249 02 20 217 46 38	Maple.....	69 02 56 37 46 53	1661.1 1082.4	1816.5 1183.7	1.03 0.67
Bayou.....	35 56 12.05	76 43 52.64	322 31 27 262 45 19	Middle.....	142 31 34 82 46 02	455.9 1843.3	498.6 2015.8	0.28 1.15
Doten.....	35 56 32.77	76 41 33.60	231 35 48 119 27 42	Major.....	51 35 55 299 27 23	391.9 938.6	428.6 1026.4	0.24 0.58
Louse.....	35 56 18.38	76 41 25.20	187 59 48 154 36 33	Major.....	7 59 50 334 36 28	693.8 491.1	758.8 537.0	0.43 0.31
Fuller.....	35 56 24.27	76 41 32.96	313 01 29 209 56 19	Louse.....	133 01 34 29 56 26	266.2 583.3	291.1 637.9	0.17 0.36
Kite.....	35 56 01.13	76 41 26.48	183 27 07 167 09 41	Louse.....	3 27 08 347 09 37	532.5 731.4	582.3 799.8	0.33 0.45
King.....	35 55 57.29	76 41 37.05	245 56 31 204 34 15	Kite.....	65 56 37 24 34 22	290.3 714.6	317.4 781.4	0.18 0.44
Lawrence.....	35 55 53.74	76 41 26.48	180 01 25 112 24 45	Kite.....	0 01 25 292 24 39	227.6 286.6	248.9 313.4	0.14 0.18
Brown.....	35 55 35.23	76 41 39.86	210 26 21 185 54 10	Lawrence.....	30 26 29 5 54 12	661.8 683.5	723.8 747.4	0.41 0.42
Lewis.....	35 55 36.95	76 41 48.29	284 07 39 226 34 52	Brown.....	104 07 44 46 35 05	218.1 752.7	238.5 823.2	0.14 0.47
Ice.....	35 55 16.60	76 41 49.41	202 38 55 182 33 20	Brown.....	22 39 01 2 33 21	621.9 627.8	680.1 686.5	0.39 0.39
Wiley.....	35 55 22.28	76 41 53.92	327 09 19 221 27 05	Ice.....	147 09 22 41 27 13	208.2 532.3	227.7 582.1	0.13 0.33
Tompkins.....	35 55 18.73	76 42 12.42	276 29 03 226 44 16	Ice.....	96 29 16 76 44 27	580.6 476.7	635.0 521.3	0.36 0.30
Fire.....	35 55 23.33	76 42 16.72	322 46 43 286 51 06	Tompkins.....	142 46 46 106 51 22	178.1 715.4	194.8 782.3	0.11 0.44

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	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Cross	35 55 18.07	76 42 32.96	267 44 19 248 16 54	Tompkins	87 44 31	515.2	563.4	0.32
				Fire	68 17 03	438.2	479.2	0.27
Pip	35 55 12.79	76 42 31.03	227 48 03 163 25 06	Fire	47 48 11	484.0	529.3	0.30
				Cross	343 25 05	170.0	185.9	0.11
Island	35 55 04.81	76 42 45.77	236 22 37 218 08 50	Pip	56 22 46	443.8	485.4	0.28
				Cross	38 08 58	519.7	568.3	0.32
Eagle	35 55 07.47	76 42 51.04	301 42 32 251 54 07	Island	121 42 35	155.5	170.0	0.10
				Pip	71 54 19	527.9	577.3	0.33
Cane	35 54 49.56	76 43 06.92	228 26 42 215 48 04	Island	48 26 54	708.6	774.9	0.44
				Eagle	35 48 13	680.3	743.9	0.42
Raccoon	35 54 55.53	76 42 55.97	198 34 15 56 10 34	Eagle	18 34 18	388.1	424.5	0.24
				Cane	236 10 28	330.2	361.1	0.21
Buzzard	35 54 38.73	76 43 06.75	207 33 11 179 15 57	Raccoon	27 33 17	583.8	638.5	0.36
				Cane	359 15 57	333.8	365.1	0.21
Lower	35 54 41.59	76 43 17.11	288 43 53 226 07 44	Buzzard	108 43 59	274.4	300.1	0.17
				Cane	46 07 50	354.5	387.6	0.22
Harris	35 54 28.69	76 43 20.78	228 40 06 193 02 08	Buzzard	48 40 14	468.6	512.4	0.29
				Lower	13 02 10	408.1	446.3	0.25
Bald	35 54 22.22	76 43 07.26	157 32 05 120 27 54	Lower	337 31 59	646.0	706.5	0.40
				Harris	300 27 46	393.2	430.0	0.24
Rattan	35 54 05.34	76 43 12.94	195 18 09 164 43 13	Bald	15 18 12	539.3	589.8	0.34
				Harris	344 43 08	745.9	815.7	0.46
Philip	35 54 08.61	76 43 28.10	284 49 37 231 13 56	Rattan	104 49 46	393.2	430.0	0.24
				Bald	51 14 08	670.1	732.8	0.42
Fish-house	35 53 47.14	76 43 36.42	226 22 47 197 29 26	Rattan	46 23 01	213.1	229.2	0.51
				Philip	17 29 31	693.6	758.5	0.43
Gum tree	35 53 36.28	76 43 28.09	179 59 15 148 03 44	Philip	359 59 15	996.3	1089.5	0.62
				Fish-house	328 03 39	394.5	431.4	0.25
Scow	35 53 17.90	76 43 33.47	193 22 55 175 18 29	Gum tree	13 22 58	582.2	636.7	0.36
				Fish-house	355 18 27	904.2	988.8	0.56
Moss	35 53 22.89	76 43 44.60	298 50 54 225 05 11	Scow	118 51 01	318.7	348.5	0.20
				Gum tree	45 05 21	584.4	639.1	0.36
Mac	35 52 52.79	76 43 49.50	207 27 40 187 33 14	Scow	27 27 49	872.1	953.7	0.54
				Moss	7 33 17	935.7	1023.2	0.58
Barber	35 52 56.37	76 43 56.96	300 32 53 221 36 56	Mac	120 32 57	217.3	237.6	0.14
				Scow	41 37 10	887.3	970.3	0.55
Norcome	35 52 39.59	76 43 55.68	200 51 16 176 26 32	Mac	20 51 20	435.4	476.1	0.27
				Barber	356 26 31	518.3	566.8	0.32
Sheep	35 52 44.02	76 44 03.29	303 33 03 233 09 57	Norcome	123 33 08	247.1	270.3	0.15
				Mac	53 10 05	450.9	493.1	0.28
North base	35 52 23.98	76 44 08.06	212 49 27 189 36 01	Norcome	32 49 34	572.6	626.1	0.36
				Sheep	9 36 03	626.5	685.1	0.39
Prizeboats	35 52 33.06	76 44 11.38	343 25 00 242 56 25	North base	163 25 02	292.2	319.5	0.18
				Norcome	62 56 34	442.2	483.6	0.27
South base	35 52 43.18	76 44 19.68	221 12 36 198 45 18	North base	41 12 43	442.5	483.9	0.27
				Prizeboats	18 45 23	647.2	707.8	0.40
Catfish	35 52 16.90	76 44 29.05	206 02 57 247 31 00	South base	116 03 02	261.7	286.2	0.16
				North base	67 31 12	569.9	623.2	0.35
Wharf	35 51 56.93	76 44 49.88	236 32 11 220 19 01	South base	56 32 29	908.0	992.9	0.56
				Catfish	40 19 13	807.4	883.0	0.50
Miami	35 52 01.52	76 44 57.92	305 03 09 249 28 09	Wharf	125 03 14	246.4	269.5	0.15
				South base	69 28 31	1024.2	1120.0	0.64
Wards	35 51 49.51	76 45 15.35	250 19 15 229 45 51	Wharf	70 19 30	678.6	742.1	0.42
				Miami	49 46 01	572.8	626.4	0.36
Briar	35 51 54.23	76 45 19.90	321 54 01 263 41 48	Wards	141 54 04	184.7	201.9	0.11
				Wharf	83 42 06	757.5	828.4	0.47
Southfield	35 51 43.56	76 45 48.20	257 27 08 245 09 20	Wards	77 27 27	844.2	923.2	0.52
				Briar	65 09 37	782.5	855.7	0.49
Whitehead	35 51 48.88	76 45 47.62	5 06 36 268 37 12	Southfield	185 06 36	164.6	180.0	0.10
				Wards	88 37 31	809.6	885.4	0.50

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East base	35 51 39.61	76 46 15.39	259 52 04 247 41 41	Southfield	79 52 20	692.8	757.7	0.43
				Whitehead	67 41 57	753.0	823.5	0.47
Cypress	35 51 52.90	76 46 15.12	0 56 00 293 04 39	East base	180 56 00	409.7	448.0	0.25
				Southfield	113 04 55	734.1	802.8	0.46
West base	35 51 42.98	76 46 31.40	284 29 08 233 09 36	East base	104 29 17	414.8	453.6	0.26
				Cypress	53 09 45	510.1	557.8	0.32
Path	35 52 02.42	76 46 37.17	346 24 52 322 08 19	West base	166 24 55	616.4	674.1	0.38
				East base	142 08 32	890.2	973.5	0.55
Hut	35 51 52.57	76 46 50.58	301 33 01 227 56 07	West base	121 33 12	564.7	617.5	0.35
				Path	47 56 15	453.2	495.6	0.28
War Neck	35 52 05.55	76 47 11.11	307 50 42 276 27 40	Hut	127 50 54	652.1	713.1	0.41
				Path	96 28 00	856.8	936.9	0.53
Nicols	35 52 15.97	76 47 07.25	16 46 29 329 53 34	War Neck	196 46 27	335.3	366.7	0.21
				Hut	149 53 44	833.6	911.6	0.52
No Woods	35 52 22.04	76 47 33.36	312 10 36 285 57 23	War Neck	132 19 49	754.9	825.6	0.47
				Nicols	105 57 38	681.1	744.8	0.42
Target	35 52 25.79	76 47 24.73	61 55 29 331 16 49	No Woods	241 55 24	245.2	268.2	0.15
				War Neck	151 16 57	711.2	777.7	0.44
Duck Point	35 52 40.14	76 47 46.51	329 23 24 308 59 53	No Woods	149 23 32	648.1	708.8	0.40
				Target	129 00 06	703.0	768.8	0.44
Redberry	35 52 50.20	76 47 43.14	15 17 10 344 12 50	Duck Point	195 17 08	321.3	351.3	0.20
				No Woods	164 12 56	901.7	986.1	0.56
Wild Cat	35 53 07.01	76 48 09.31	325 22 28 308 17 09	Duck Point	145 22 41	1006.3	1100.5	0.63
				Redberry	128 17 24	836.3	914.6	0.52
Shell	35 52 55.58	76 48 05.93	286 11 02 166 27 45	Redberry	106 11 15	595.2	650.9	0.37
				Wild Cat	346 27 43	362.4	396.3	0.23
Ryan	35 53 11.24	76 48 37.73	301 10 39 240 21 59	Shell	121 10 58	932.4	1019.6	0.58
				Wild Cat	100 22 16	724.7	792.5	0.45
<i>Vicinity of Roanoke Island.</i>								
Roanoke Marshes light-house	35 48 36.41	75 41 46.90	220 27 25 137 59 14	Bann's Creek	40 28 40	4928.7	5389.9	3.06
				Callaghan's Creek	317 57 51	5301.6	5797.6	3.29
Pork Point, 1864	35 54 01.09	75 41 36.85	32 01 37 65 40 11	Callaghan's Creek	212 00 08	7161.1	7831.2	4.45
				Fleetwood	245 38 27	4897.2	5355.5	3.04
Fulker's Island	33 51 54.04	75 41 02.12	167 27 46 109 35 34	Pork Point, 1864	347 27 26	4011.1	4386.4	2.49
				Fleetwood	289 33 29	5660.9	6190.6	3.52
Croatian light-house	35 57 34.97	75 47 23.37	333 50 31 307 10 01	Fleetwood	153 52 10	9591.5	10488.9	5.96
				Pork Point, 1864	127 13 24	10903.3	11923.5	6.77
<i>Neuse River, N. C.</i>								
Spinola, 2	35 05 16.50	77 01 31.32		Spinola, 2	313 26 40	1697.7	1856.5	1.06
Rebel fort	35 04 38.61	77 00 42.66	133 27 08	Spinola, 2	264 11 38	2142.4	2342.8	1.33
				Rebel fort	213 00 20	1650.3	1804.7	1.03
Duck Creek	35 05 23.53	77 00 07.17	84 12 26 33 00 41	Spinola, 2	264 11 38	2142.4	2342.8	1.33
				Rebel fort	213 00 20	1650.3	1804.7	1.03
Spinola	35 05 10.47	77 01 30.59	259 12 44 308 57 09	Duck Creek	79 13 32	2150.9	2352.2	1.34
				Rebel fort	128 57 36	1561.3	1707.4	0.97
Truck	35 04 23.61	77 01 33.29	182 42 34 250 10 30	Spinola	2 42 36	1445.5	1580.7	0.90
				Rebel fort	70 10 59	1363.3	1490.8	0.85
New Berne base, north end	35 05 06.37	77 02 16.68	263 49 15 320 09 47	Spinola	83 49 42	1174.1	1284.0	0.73
				Truck	140 10 12	1715.8	1876.3	1.07
New Berne base, south end	35 04 24.00	77 02 52.66	214 55 08 270 20 25	North base	34 55 29	1592.1	1741.1	0.99
				Truck	90 21 10	2010.6	2198.8	1.25
Prince	35 06 04.29	77 00 51.78	354 59 59 318 01 30	Rebel fort	175 00 05	2650.2	2898.2	1.65
				Duck Creek	138 01 56	1689.5	1847.6	1.05
New Berne Episcopal church, brown spire	35 06 20.38	77 02 02.87	339 13 07 8 43 08	Spinola	159 13 26	2304.2	2519.8	1.43
				North base	188 43 00	2307.3	2523.1	1.43
Foster	35 07 22.05	77 01 19.14	343 52 26 30 14 06	Prince	163 52 42	2494.2	2727.6	1.55
				Episcopal church spire	210 13 41	2199.2	2405.0	1.37
Palmer	35 07 25.21	77 02 41.90	272 39 24 333 40 27	Foster	92 40 12	2097.6	2293.9	1.30
				Episcopal church spire	153 40 49	2228.7	2437.2	1.38

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Fort Totten, flag-staff	35 06 23.98	77 03 10.30	310 57 27 311 53 17	Rebel fort..... Spinola	130 58 52 131 54 14	4952.1 3392.2	5415.5 3709.6	3.08 2.11
Lone pine tree.....	35 04 45.25	77 01 41.61	70 00 44 126 13 37	South base..... North base.....	250 00 03 306 13 17	1915.1 1101.0	2094.3 1204.0	1.19 0.68
North blockade.....	35 04 30.25	76 59 35.72	98 38 36 154 07 10	Rebel fort..... Duck Creek.....	278 37 58 334 06 52	1715.1 1824.6	1875.6 1995.3	1.07 1.13
South blockade.....	35 03 41.26	77 00 12.37	156 31 34 211 35 22	Rebel fort..... North blockade.....	336 31 17 31 35 43	1926.6 1772.1	2106.9 1937.9	1.90 1.10
Wessel.....	35 03 51.77	76 58 59.51	142 16 30 118 55 20	North blockade..... Rebel fort.....	322 16 09 298 54 21	1499.2 2985.3	1639.5 3264.6	0.93 1.85
Burnside.....	35 03 11.73	76 59 37.01	148 09 11 217 35 33	Rebel fort..... Wessel.....	328 08 34 37 35 54	3151.9 1557.3	3446.8 1703.0	1.96 0.97
Mast of sunken schooner.....	35 04 07.64	77 00 05.98	227 44 15 286 11 30	North blockade..... Wessel.....	47 44 32 106 12 08	1035.7 1753.7	1132.6 1917.7	0.64 1.09
Upper Northwest Creek.....	35 03 19.48	76 57 54.96	84 43 31 121 19 11	Burnside..... Wessel.....	264 42 32 301 18 34	2596.5 1914.1	2839.4 2093.2	1.61 1.19
Johnson's Point.....	35 02 31.32	76 58 59.89	142 56 29 227 56 34	Burnside..... Upper N. W. Creek.....	322 56 08 47 57 11	1560.3 2215.8	1706.3 2423.1	0.97 1.38
Upper Broad Creek.....	35 01 59.02	76 55 48.14	101 35 27 127 39 43	Johnson's Point..... Upper N. W. Creek.....	281 33 37 307 38 30	4960.4 4059.1	5424.5 4439.0	3.08 2.52
Mitchell's Bluff.....	35 00 42.10	76 58 34.21	191 35 17 240 36 16	Upper N. W. Creek..... Upper Broad Creek.....	11 35 39 60 37 51	4950.7 4830.9	5414.0 5282.9	3.08 3.00
Marsh.....	34 59 14.93	76 56 52.21	151 52 05 136 05 24	Johnson's Point..... Mitchell's Bluff.....	331 50 52 316 04 25	6862.7 3728.6	7504.9 4077.5	4.26 2.32
Lower Northwest Creek.....	35 02 45.26	76 56 34.25	38 42 32 320 38 29	Mitchell's Bluff..... Upper Broad Creek.....	218 41 23 140 38 55	4862.8 1842.8	5317.8 2015.3	3.02 1.15
Goose Creek.....	35 01 59.15	76 55 48.29	101 33 07 60 33 57	Johnson's Point..... Mitchell's Bluff.....	281 31 17 240 32 22	4956.0 4829.6	5419.8 5281.5	3.08 3.00
Beard's Creek.....	35 00 12.67	76 52 20.90	75 31 22 121 59 10	Marsh..... Goose Creek.....	255 28 46 301 57 11	7105.7 6197.1	7770.5 6777.0	4.42 3.85
Slocum's Creek.....	34 57 24.53	76 53 30.11	198 42 38 157 31 06	Beard's Creek..... Goose Creek.....	18 43 18 337 29 47	5470.0 9158.7	5981.8 10015.7	3.40 5.69
Reed.....	34 56 46.78	76 51 42.50	171 16 30 113 05 25	Beard's Creek..... Slocum's Creek.....	351 16 08 293 04 23	6418.6 2967.7	7019.2 3245.4	3.99 1.84
Alligator.....	34 58 12.64	76 48 56.69	77 57 29 57 50 32	Slocum's Creek..... Reed.....	257 54 52 237 48 57	7092.0 4969.0	7755.6 5433.9	4.41 3.09
Wilkinson's Point.....	34 57 50.24	76 47 55.35	71 16 24 84 41 53	Reed..... Slocum's Creek.....	251 14 14 264 38 41	6085.1 8528.5	6654.5 9326.5	3.78 5.30
Cherry Point.....	34 56 16.61	76 48 20.82	100 18 43 104 57 34	Reed..... Slocum's Creek.....	280 16 48 284 54 37	5201.0 8121.4	5687.7 8881.3	3.23 5.05
Dana.....	34 58 01.74	76 54 57.06	169 56 09 224 27 22	Goose Creek..... Beard's Creek.....	349 55 40 44 28 52	7429.9 5653.2	8125.1 6182.2	4.62 3.51
Benuer.....	34 59 11.61	76 50 19.58	55 41 31 25 14 19	Slocum's Creek..... Reed.....	235 39 42 205 13 31	5851.3 4933.7	6398.8 5395.3	3.64 3.07
Red Bank.....	34 56 05.58	76 50 17.31	207 34 26 228 08 46	Alligator..... Wilkinson's Point.....	27 35 12 48 10 07	4417.1 4834.3	4830.4 5286.6	2.75 3.00
Pierson's Point.....	34 58 30.68	76 46 00.30	40 48 03 66 53 10	Cherry Point..... Wilkinson's Point.....	220 46 42 246 52 04	5456.5 3173.2	5967.1 3470.1	3.39 1.97
Great Island.....	34 55 44.43	76 44 30.92	99 39 53 126 47 28	Cherry Point..... Wilkinson's Point.....	279 37 41 306 45 31	5017.3 6475.3	6471.0 7081.2	3.68 4.02
Great Neck Point.....	34 57 12.71	76 42 06.02	112 01 52 53 30 52	Pierson's Point..... Great Island.....	201 59 38 233 29 29	6410.0 4573.5	7009.8 5001.4	3.98 2.84
Sand Beach.....	35 00 12.03	76 42 27.96	20 43 46 354 14 51	Great Island..... Great Neck Point.....	200 42 35 174 15 04	8815.6 5533.3	9640.5 6072.9	5.48 3.45
Cedar Point.....	34 58 51.43	76 39 13.77	116 46 50 55 10 04	Sand Beach..... Great Neck Point.....	296 44 59 235 08 26	5515.0 5323.7	6031.1 5821.8	3.43 3.31
Cockle Point.....	35 02 51.90	76 38 15.14	11 20 51 52 28 08	Cedar Point..... Sand Beach.....	191 20 17 232 25 43	7557.6 8083.1	8264.8 8839.4	4.70 5.02
Sandy Point.....	34 59 15.36	76 37 31.64	103 06 26 170 37 12	Sand Beach..... Cockle Point.....	283 03 36 350 36 47	7713.8 6763.1	8435.6 7395.9	4.79 4.20

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Brown's Creek	35 00 01.82	76 32 51.28	91 16 42 78 38 10	Sand Beach	271 11 11	14624.6	15993.0	9.09
Neuse River light	35 05 15.69	76 32 36.39	33 59 59 2 14 13	Sandy Point	258 35 29	7251.6	7930.1	4.51
Point of Marsh	35 03 57.76	76 28 09.88	109 36 14 22 30 37	Sandy Point	213 57 09	13389.3	14642.2	8.32
Great Marsh	34 55 23.58	76 46 23.10	152 37 28 257 16 49	Brown's Creek	182 14 04	9679.2	10584.9	6.01
Wm. Nelson's house, chimney..	34 59 40.57	76 44 10.82	325 11 57 4 00 45	Neuse River Light	229 33 41	7165.2	7835.7	4.45
Hammock	34 58 07.64	76 40 14.71	138 36 52 59 03 42	Cockle Point	262 24 49	15469.1	16916.6	9.61
Windmill	35 00 47.49	76 41 52.96	152 37 28 232 27 37	Wilkinson's Point	332 36 35	5089.2	5565.4	3.16
Whittaker	35 01 54.64	76 39 45.75	2 51 56 311 31 38	Great Island	77 17 53	2918.5	3191.6	1.81
Two-story house, south chimney	35 01 34.19	76 40 54.45	333 00 42 309 44 26	Great Neck Point	145 13 08	5547.8	6066.9	3.45
Gum Thicket	35 04 03.52	76 35 54.42	328 03 01 58 15 11	Great Island	184 00 33	7263.7	7976.1	4.53
South River	34 58 40.38	76 34 56.79	196 16 41 147 02 46	Sand Beach	318 35 36	5109.4	5527.5	3.17
Brant Island	35 12 27.24	76 26 10.97	10 51 47 36 17 34	Great Neck Point	239 02 38	3291.8	3599.8	2.05
Brant Island light	35 08 05.00	76 17 17.53	65 17 42 120 57 09	Great Neck Point	182 51 49	6626.4	7246.4	4.12
Man Point	35 09 02.32	76 31 53.48	328 52 43 8 50 40	Cedar Point	131 33 09	5393.2	5897.8	3.35
Bay River Point	35 10 57.40	76 31 14.82	11 06 04 15 25 33	Sand Beach	292 25 45	5186.6	5671.9	3.22
Great Hammock	35 10 20.88	76 33 36.78	252 35 34 132 47 36	Cockle Point	52 28 29	2296.5	3167.5	1.80
Steep Point	35 00 00.58	76 29 24.77	153 26 48 194 32 52	Cedar Point	153 01 40	5627.7	6154.3	3.50
Pitman	34 59 16.22	76 29 55.20	107 29 00 209 26 51	Sandy Point	129 46 22	6629.4	7315.3	4.16
Tall tree	34 59 36.15	76 31 14.17	287 03 09 107 49 03	Brown's Creek	148 04 46	8776.2	9597.4	5.45
Piney Island, pine	34 58 59.18	76 27 42.50	98 52 34 126 07 11	Cockle Point	238 13 50	4192.4	4584.7	2.61
Round top pine	34 57 41.52	76 28 57.82	153 30 03 170 56 33	Neuse River light	16 18 02	12690.7	13878.2	7.89
Rattan, flag	35 02 30.52	76 27 57.50	58 25 08 173 20 45	Cockle Point	327 00 52	9238.4	10102.8	5.74
Piney Point, flag	35 05 54.83	76 33 49.33	352 17 45 206 54 06	Point of Marsh	190 50 39	15985.1	17480.8	9.93
Ball's Island	35 11 34.93	76 33 36.46	287 52 43 0 12 19	Neuse River light	216 13 52	16491.7	18034.9	10.25
Sanders Point	35 11 11.15	76 35 36.39	256 24 29 297 05 59	Point of Marsh	148 54 52	10960.2	11985.7	6.81
Davis Island	35 10 04.11	76 34 55.93	153 38 39 215 41 14	Neuse River light	188 50 15	7067.0	7728.3	4.39
Ireland	35 09 37.37	76 36 52.50	213 40 34 254 23 00	Man Point	191 05 17	10729.6	11733.6	6.67
Pettys Point	35 10 21.95	76 37 49.80	277 06 28 313 26 53	Man Point	195 25 11	3678.6	4022.8	2.29
Bells Point	35 09 58.45	76 38 55.81	246 33 10 281 44 59	Bay River Point	72 36 56	3763.9	4116.1	2.34
Windmill Point	35 10 25.20	76 39 41.00	272 01 55 305 46 55	Man Point	132 48 35	3562.9	3896.3	2.21
				Neuse River light	333 24 58	10856.6	11872.4	6.75
				Point of Marsh	14 33 35	7550.9	8257.5	4.69
				Brown's Creek	287 27 19	4681.0	5119.0	2.91
				Steep Point	29 27 08	1569.6	1716.5	0.98
				Pitman	107 03 54	2094.5	2290.5	1.30
				Brown's Creek	287 48 07	2586.0	2828.0	1.61
				Pitman	278 51 18	3405.7	3724.3	2.12
				Steep Point	306 06 12	3209.7	3510.0	1.99
				Pitman	333 29 30	3260.9	3566.0	2.03
				Steep Point	350 56 18	4339.1	4745.2	2.70
				Brown's Creek	238 22 19	8743.5	9561.6	5.43
				Point of Marsh	353 20 38	2706.4	2959.6	1.68
				Brown's Creek	172 18 12	10976.3	12003.4	6.82
				Man Point	26 55 13	6478.9	7085.1	4.03
				Bay River Point	107 54 05	3765.2	4117.5	2.34
				Great Hammock	189 12 19	2282.0	2495.5	1.42
				Ball's Island	76 25 38	3120.9	3412.9	1.94
				Great Hammock	117 07 08	3399.3	3717.4	2.11
				Sanders Point	333 38 16	2305.3	2521.0	1.43
				Ball's Island	35 42 00	3445.8	3768.2	2.14
				Sanders Point	33 41 18	3472.5	3797.4	2.16
				Davis Island	74 24 07	3062.7	3349.3	1.90
				Davis Island	97 08 08	4433.6	4848.4	2.76
				Ireland	133 27 26	1997.3	2184.2	1.24
				Pettys Point	66 33 48	1820.2	1990.5	1.13
				Ireland	101 46 10	3186.6	3484.8	1.98
				Pettys Point	92 02 59	2815.3	3078.7	1.75
				Bells Point	125 47 21	1409.8	1541.7	0.88

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Lamberts Point	35 09 26.03	76 40 30.58	247 01 58 247 22 53	Pettys Point	67 03 30 67 23 47	4418.2 2597.9	4831.6 2840.9	2.75 1.61
Jones Bay, flag	35 13 26.87	76 30 27.18	14 39 52 285 48 47	Bay River Point	194 39 25	4760.9	5206.4	2.96
				Brant Island	105 51 15	6734.6	7364.7	4.18

Section V.—Vicinity of Charleston, S. C.

CHARLESTON, ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH.	32 46 34.48	79 55 37.90						
BEACON HOUSE, OR WESTOVER-ALL BEACON, 1849.	32 43 01.80	79 52 02.57	139 27 58	St. Michael's Church....	319 26 01	8621.8	9428.6	5.36
Crusoe	32 40 11.44	79 54 09.11	168 55 14 212 07 19	St. Michael's Church....	348 54 26	12023.0	13148.0	7.47
				Beacon House	32 08 27	6196.7	6776.5	3.85
Morris Island, signal station	32 41 30.39	79 52 23.83	48 26 31 191 07 17	Crusoe	228 25 34	3665.6	4008.6	2.28
				Beacon House	11 07 28	2869.8	3138.3	1.78
Charleston light, hydrographic signal.	32 41 55.93	79 52 28.98	198 42 58 150 11 36	Beacon House	18 43 12	2142.5	2342.9	1.33
				St. Michael's Church....	330 09 54	9889.5	10814.9	6.15
Black Island	32 42 20.55	79 54 04.28	1 49 00 248 08 30	Crusoe	181 48 57	3978.9	4351.2	2.47
				Beacon House	68 09 35	3414.9	3734.5	2.12
Bailey	32 40 51.62	79 53 58.23	244 05 06 12 54 24	Signal station	64 05 57	2733.6	2989.3	1.70
				Crusoe	192 54 18	1269.8	1388.6	0.79
Donkey	32 40 45.28	79 55 05.40	263 38 21 305 24 43	Bailey	83 38 57	1760.7	1925.5	1.09
				Crusoe	125 25 13	1799.4	1967.8	1.12
Barrel	32 39 48.45	79 55 48.08	212 25 06 254 38 34	Donkey	32 25 29	2073.8	2267.9	1.29
				Crusoe	74 39 27	2673.9	2924.1	1.66
Broad Island	32 40 17.16	79 56 39.95	272 33 24 303 11 17	Crusoe	92 34 46	3933.7	4301.7	2.44
				Barrel	123 11 45	1615.0	1766.1	1.00
Contraband	32 39 26.38	79 56 54.88	193 58 01 248 39 27	Broad Island	13 58 09	1611.7	1762.5	1.00
				Barrel	68 40 03	1868.7	2043.5	1.16
Battery Purveyance, flag-staff..	32 41 35.71	79 53 04.42	278 48 15 131 32 32	Signal station	98 48 37	1069.8	1169.9	0.66
				Black Island	311 32 00	2082.8	2277.7	1.29
Signal station No. 2	32 41 34.51	79 52 28.83	45 36 04 60 25 40	Crusoe	225 35 10	3656.5	3998.6	2.27
				Bailey	240 24 52	3677.2	4021.3	2.28
Fort Wagner, flag-staff	32 43 49.96	79 51 53.21	51 06 24 14 51 17	Black Island	231 05 13	4325.4	4795.7	2.73
				Charleston light, hydr ..	194 50 58	3633.6	3973.6	2.26
Turniptop pine	32 41 00.78	79 53 11.07	150 35 05 77 03 30	Black Island	330 34 36	2821.2	3085.2	1.75
				Bailey	257 03 05	1260.3	1378.2	0.78
Secessionville, flag-staff	32 42 13.86	79 56 30.91	258 02 53 315 35 06	Beacon House	78 05 18	7141.8	7810.1	4.44
				Crusoe	135 36 23	5278.3	5772.2	3.28
Palmetto	32 41 11.96	79 53 35.94	253 10 39 160 44 46	Signal station	73 11 18	1962.0	2145.6	1.22
				Black Island	340 44 31	2238.0	2447.4	1.39
Dietz	32 41 56.32	79 53 39.21	13 33 27 231 16 46	Crusoe	193 33 11	3323.4	3634.3	2.06
				Beacon House	51 17 38	3225.3	3527.1	2.00
Lone two-story house, north chimney.	32 43 05.49	79 56 30.95	291 14 35 327 21 04	Black Island	111 15 49	3818.7	4176.0	2.37
				Crusoe	147 22 15	6367.0	6962.8	3.96
James Island, long yellow house, chimney in center.	32 43 47.41	79 55 02.16	286 42 51 348 16 06	Beacon House	106 44 28	4882.9	5339.8	3.03
				Crusoe	168 16 35	6794.8	7430.5	4.22
Swamp Angel	32 43 13.07	79 53 10.19	339 06 18 335 41 02	Signal station	159 06 43	3385.7	3702.5	2.10
				Charleston light, hydr ..	155 41 24	2606.4	2850.3	1.62
Ft. Johnson observatory, (rebel).	32 45 01.17	79 53 55.26	2 18 53 340 31 28	Crusoe	182 18 46	8931.6	9767.3	5.55
				Signal station No. 2	160 32 15	6751.5	7383.2	4.19
Sentry box	32 41 17.58	79 52 55.69	137 21 03 210 29 34	Black Island	317 20 25	2636.8	2883.5	1.64
				Charleston light, hydr ..	30 29 48	1371.4	1499.7	0.85
Telegraph pole	32 41 32.83	79 53 20.30	272 54 23 142 04 29	Signal station	92 54 53	1473.0	1610.8	0.92
				Black Island	322 04 05	1863.5	2037.8	1.16
Breach Inlet Observatory (rebel).	32 46 22.55	79 48 48.08	31 59 10 47 51 34	Signal station	211 57 13	10607.7	11600.2	6.59
				Black Island	227 48 43	11105.1	12144.2	6.90
Carpenter shop, flag-staff	32 41 21.16	79 52 34.56	198 03 44 224 28 58	Black Island	308 02 55	2967.3	3245.0	1.84
				Signal station	44 29 04	398.8	436.1	0.25

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Battery Marshall, flag-staff	32 46 20.94	79 48 43.02	32 44 04 46 48 07	Signal station	212 42 05	10638.0	11633.3	6.61
				Fort Wagner, flag-staff..	226 46 24	6790.9	7426.3	4.22
Housatonic wreck, main-mast (April 25, 1864).	32 43 08.06	79 46 27.08	98 40 12 65 42 20	Fort Wagner, flag-staff..	278 37 16	8588.8	9392.4	5.34
				Crusoe	245 38 10	13206.6	14442.3	8.21
Skylight in roof on Pawnee Landing.	32 40 04.37	79 54 54.35	167 07 44 225 07 42	Donkey	347 07 38	1292.9	1413.9	0.80
				Bailey	45 08 12	2062.9	2255.9	1.26
North gable, Pawnee Landing..	32 40 02.58	79 55 04.45	228 47 27 69 03 30	Bailey	48 48 03	2293.2	2507.8	1.43
				Barrel	249 03 06	1217.7	1331.0	0.76
Lookont tower (rebel), at Se- cessionville.	32 42 34.19	79 56 28.12	320 31 12 276 23 41	Crusoe	140 32 27	5695.8	6228.7	3.54
				Black Island	96 24 59	3769.6	4122.3	2.34
Black Island Battery, flag-staff..	32 42 28.00	79 53 54.65	306 52 21 47 31 51	Signal station	126 53 10	2956.9	3233.5	1.84
				Black Island	227 31 46	340.2	372.0	0.21
Battery Chatfield, flag-staff (old)	32 44 24.27	79 51 58.89	25 23 24 2 09 41	Bailey	205 22 19	7249.5	7927.8	4.50
				Beacon House	182 09 38	2542.8	2780.8	1.58
Battery Chatfield, flag-staff (April 25, 1864).	32 44 23.80	79 51 58.67	40 45 15 2 18 03	Black Island	220 44 07	5010.9	5479.8	3.11
				Beacon House	182 18 01	2527.7	2764.2	1.57
Center of largest house in Se- cessionville.	32 42 23.69	79 56 02.25	324 06 41 259 19 53	Crusoe	144 07 42	5027.5	5497.9	3.12
				Beacon House	79 22 03	6350.7	6945.0	3.95
Sullivan's Island, South Channel beacon.	32 45 30.82	79 51 10.97	37 37 01 16 20 09	Black Island	217 35 27	7398.1	8090.4	4.60
				Beacon House	196 19 41	4782.7	5230.3	2.97
Dead tree at south end of Black Island.	32 42 19.18	79 54 10.08	298 30 16 255 12 34	Signal station	118 31 13	3148.8	3443.4	1.96
				Charleston light, hydr.	105 13 29	2728.6	2923.9	1.70
Saw-mill, smoke-pipe	32 39 46.25	79 55 52.61	127 40 10 240 03 43	Broad Island	307 39 44	1558.4	1704.2	0.97
				Barrel	60 03 45	136.3	149.1	0.08
Saw-mill, north gable	32 39 46.14	79 55 52.41	127 38 52 237 40 03	Broad Island	307 38 27	1564.0	1710.4	0.97
				Barrel	57 40 05	133.5	146.0	0.08
Mud signal	32 40 16.29	79 56 29.23	95 23 35 308 39 21	Broad Island	275 23 29	310.0	339.0	0.19
				Barrel	128 39 43	1372.4	1500.8	0.85
Campbell 2	32 39 17.53	79 57 03.26	228 37 37 218 44 03	Donkey	48 38 41	4091.7	4474.6	2.54
				Contraband	38 44 07	348.3	380.9	0.22
Picket	32 40 20.00	79 56 30.67	20 52 59 311 11 55	Contraband	200 52 46	1767.6	1933.0	1.10
				Barrel	131 12 18	1475.4	1613.4	0.92
Old chimney in ruins	32 40 51.38	79 57 49.02	301 35 22 300 21 18	Barrel	121 36 27	3699.2	4045.4	2.30
				Broad Island	120 21 55	2086.0	2281.2	1.30
Folly Island, flag-staff No. 3	32 38 55.82	79 56 40.34	150 06 54 239 24 12	Contraband	338 06 46	1014.4	1109.3	0.63
				Crusoe	59 25 34	4577.2	5005.5	2.84
Folly Island, flag-staff No. 4	32 38 40.48	79 57 06.51	192 09 35 193 05 55	Contraband	12 09 41	1446.1	1581.4	0.90
				Broad Island	13 06 09	3057.6	3343.7	1.90
Folly Island, flag-staff No. 5	32 38 08.54	79 57 57.56	207 02 07 237 31 47	Broad Island	27 02 49	4448.1	4864.3	2.76
				Crusoe	57 33 50	7054.6	7714.7	4.38
Folly Island, flag-staff No. 6	32 37 57.44	79 58 12.06	209 08 35 236 52 50	Broad Island	29 09 25	4927.7	5388.8	3.06
				Crusoe	56 55 01	7557.4	8264.6	4.70
Tall pine in small hammock	32 40 11.58	79 56 42.38	13 08 36 200 24 15	Contraband	193 08 29	1429.6	1563.4	0.89
				Broad Island	20 24 16	183.1	200.2	0.11
Ragged	32 39 48.51	79 56 29.48	162 49 21 270 04 58	Broad Island	342 49 15	923.7	1010.1	0.57
				Barrel	90 05 20	1078.8	1179.7	0.67
Beach	32 40 49.27	79 53 21.83	206 48 53 46 34 32	Beacon House	26 49 36	4574.5	5002.5	2.84
				Crusoe	226 34 07	1695.5	1854.1	1.05
Signal station No. 3	32 41 40.91	79 52 25.47	44 25 17 104 31 40	Crusoe	224 24 21	3857.9	4218.8	2.40
				Secessionville, tower	284 32 29	6529.1	7140.1	4.06
Fort Sumter 3	32 45 08.40	79 52 13.47	2 47 59 54 24 00	Signal station No. 3	182 47 52	6398.8	6997.5	3.98
				Secessionville, tower	234 21 42	8155.8	8918.9	5.07
Fort Johnson 3	32 45 05.19	79 53 39.37	267 27 40 342 59 26	Fort Sumter 3	87 28 27	2238.1	2447.6	1.39
				Signal station No. 3	163 00 06	6520.0	7195.7	4.09
Moultrie beacon	32 45 34.13	79 50 58.10	68 00 08 78 01 10	Fort Sumter 3	247 59 27	2115.7	2313.6	1.31
				Fort Johnson 3	257 59 43	4291.0	4692.5	2.67
Fort Marshall	32 46 20.73	79 48 43.19	33 53 38 67 51 57	Signal station No. 3	213 51 38	10381.7	11353.2	6.45
				Fort Sumter 3	247 50 03	5908.6	6461.5	3.67
Castle Pinckney 2	32 46 25.12	79 54 25.43	286 12 42 334 02 01	Moultrie beacon	106 14 34	5619.4	6145.2	3.49
				Fort Johnson 3	154 02 26	2738.3	2994.5	1.70

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Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Shem.....	32 47 10.77	79 53 24.66	5 39 02 48 21 15	Fort Johnson 3.....	185 38 54	3887.3	4251.1	2.42
				Castle Pinckney 2.....	228 20 42	2116.1	2314.1	1.32
Hobcaw 2.....	32 48 45.39	79 54 10.85	335 26 15 337 35 08	Fort Sumter 3.....	155 27 19 157 35 33	7350.3 3150.7	8038.0 3445.5	4.57 1.96
James.....	32 45 33.66	79 56 19.76	241 57 05 236 41 52	Castle Pinckney 2.....	61 58 07 56 43 27	3371.3 5450.2	3686.7 5960.2	2.09 3.39
King.....	32 47 58.05	79 43 48.34	68 21 27 68 40 40	Fort Sumter 3.....	248 16 54 248 38 00	14144.7 8236.8	15468.2 9007.5	8.79 5.12
Battery Bee, flag-staff.....	32 45 51.53	79 51 38.03	65 41 23 34 46 02	Fort Johnson 3.....	245 40 17	3466.0	3790.3	2.15
				Fort Sumter 3.....	214 45 43	1617.2	1768.5	1.00
Battery Beauregard, flag-staff..	32 45 29.51	79 50 42.13	80 47 34 106 26 34	Fort Johnson 3.....	260 45 46	4673.7	5111.0	2.90
				Castle Pinckney 2.....	286 24 18	6058.6	6625.5	3.76
Castle Pinckney, flag-staff.....	32 46 24.66	79 54 26.56	333 21 39 304 07 45	Fort Johnson 3.....	153 22 05	2738.8	2995.0	1.70
				Fort Sumter 3.....	124 08 57	4185.2	4576.8	2.60
Etiwan.....	32 45 20.98	79 53 07.00	285 32 02 60 00 51	Fort Sumter 3.....	105 32 31	1446.1	1581.4	0.90
				Fort Johnson 3.....	240 00 34	972.9	1064.0	0.60
Glover.....	32 45 08.84	79 55 31.05	263 43 07 270 08 33	Moultrie beacon.....	83 45 35	7146.9	7815.6	4.44
				Fort Sumter 3.....	90 10 20	5142.4	5623.5	3.20
Chimney.....	32 46 30.43	79 45 26.94	50 43 52 86 39 34	Signal station No. 3.....	230 40 06	14079.4	15396.8	8.75
				Fort Marshall.....	266 37 48	5116.1	5504.8	3.18
West chimney.....	32 46 42.40	79 47 48.57	37 50 24 64 50 48	Signal station No. 3.....	217 47 54	11756.0	12856.0	7.30
				Fort Marshall.....	244 50 18	1570.0	1716.9	0.98
Fort Moultrie, flag-staff, (March, 1865.)	32 45 32.84	79 51 12.79	131 18 45 77 25 58	Shem.....	311 17 34	4570.6	4998.3	2.84
				Fort Johnson 3.....	257 24 39	3910.8	4276.8	2.43
Fort Moultrie, flag-staff, (June, 1865.)	32 45 33.51	79 51 14.79	14 25 27 63 10 21	Signal station No. 3.....	194 24 49	7397.8	8090.0	4.60
				Fort Sumter 3.....	243 09 49	1713.5	1873.8	1.06
Mount Pleasant light.....	32 47 02.12	79 52 15.01	359 20 47 31 22 07	Fort Sumter 3.....	179 20 48	3503.0	3830.8	2.18
				Fort Johnson 3.....	211 21 17	4217.9	4612.5	2.62
Charleston, cathedral.....	32 46 50.26	79 56 13.87	261 49 03 308 49 18	Shem.....	81 50 35	4447.6	4863.7	2.76
				Fort Johnson 3.....	128 50 42	5161.4	5644.3	3.21
Presbyterian church spire.....	32 47 14.16	79 55 51.31	319 08 10 222 55 02	Fort Johnson 3.....	139 09 21	5231.5	5742.8	3.26
				Hobcaw 2.....	42 55 56	3834.9	4193.8	2.38
Saint Philipp's church spire....	32 46 44.26	79 55 32.58	256 12 01 209 40 32	Shem.....	76 13 10	3426.8	3747.4	2.13
				Hobcaw 2.....	29 41 16	4294.6	4696.4	2.67
White Point Garden, flag-staff..	32 46 11.78	79 55 39.20	257 55 05 242 33 37	Castle Pinckney 2.....	77 55 45	1963.0	2146.7	1.22
				Shem.....	62 34 50	3944.4	4313.5	2.45
Wharf.....	32 47 42.94	79 54 18.34	4 23 39 305 20 08	Castle Pinckney 2.....	184 23 35	2404.8	2629.8	1.49
				Shem.....	125 20 37	1711.5	1871.6	1.06
Fort Johnson, flag-staff.....	32 44 58.40	79 53 47.47	159 42 19 225 14 13	Castle Pinckney 2.....	339 41 58	2848.0	3114.4	1.77
				Fort Johnson 3.....	45 14 17	297.0	324.8	0.18
Fort Putnam, flag-staff.....	32 44 26.38	79 52 07.70	116 36 41 135 35 04	Fort Johnson 3.....	296 35 51	2668.9	2918.6	1.66
				Castle Pinckney 2.....	315 33 50	5121.5	5600.7	3.18
Fort Ripley, flag-staff.....	32 45 53.65	79 54 05.64	295 30 54 277 00 31	Fort Sumter 3.....	115 31 55	3235.2	3537.9	2.01
				Moultrie beacon.....	97 02 12	4917.5	5377.6	3.06
Fort Sumter, flag-staff.....	32 45 08.42	79 52 15.31	2 22 07 87 23 48	Signal station No. 3.....	182 22 02	6397.5	6996.1	3.97
				Fort Johnson 3.....	267 23 03	2190.3	2395.2	1.36
Bradford 1.....	32 42 12.01	79 52 14.62	180 18 58 215 40 49	Fort Sumter 3.....	0 18 58	5433.1	5941.5	3.38
				Fort Marshall.....	35 42 43	9433.0	10315.7	5.86
Bradford 2.....	32 42 38.27	79 52 07.64	178 07 16 217 49 22	Fort Sumter 3.....	358 07 13	4626.6	5059.5	2.87
				Fort Marshall.....	37 51 13	8676.0	9487.8	5.39
Bradford 3.....	32 43 03.85	79 52 01.85	175 29 35 199 43 04	Fort Sumter 3.....	355 29 29	3848.4	4208.5	2.39
				Moultrie beacon.....	19 43 38	4917.7	5377.8	3.06
Bradford 4.....	32 43 20.70	79 51 57.26	172 45 08 200 32 08	Fort Sumter 3.....	352 44 59	3344.1	3657.0	2.08
				Moultrie beacon.....	20 32 40	4389.0	4799.6	2.73
Flag-staff 1.....	32 39 49.12	79 54 48.57	236 13 33 214 15 58	Crusoe.....	56 13 54	1236.7	1352.4	0.77
				Bailey.....	34 16 25	2329.4	2547.4	1.45
Flag-staff 2.....	32 39 09.13	79 56 17.28	240 05 55 228 55 29	Crusoe.....	60 07 06	3852.3	4212.7	2.39
				Bailey.....	48 56 44	4804.4	5233.9	2.99

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Section V.—Broad River and Whale Branch.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
DAW	32 18 12.17	80 44 14.91						
BANANA	32 19 57.05	80 46 31.09	312 11 55	Daw	132 13 08	4808.4	5258.3	2.99
Archer	32 21 18.92	80 44 24.59	357 28 48 52 41 24	Daw	177 28 53	5757.5	6296.2	3.58
Lemon	32 22 24.54	80 47 17.22	294 06 57 345 07 38	Banana	232 40 16	4159.0	4548.1	2.58
Broad	32 23 46.51	80 46 32.02	323 45 39 359 48 10	Archer	114 08 29	4944.8	5407.4	3.07
New Harbor	32 24 43.69	80 48 58.32	294 43 33 328 20 25	Banana	165 08 03	4700.2	5140.0	2.92
New Barnwell	32 26 02.83	80 47 39.10	337 20 22 355 08 20	Archer	143 46 47	5635.5	6162.8	3.50
Barnwell	32 26 00.27	80 47 37.64	337 24 12 355 24 32	Banana	179 48 10	7067.4	7728.7	4.39
Harbor	32 24 53.97	80 48 36.50	302 33 43 335 45 36	Broad	114 44 51	4209.1	4603.0	2.62
Boyd's Neck	32 27 25.31	80 49 22.39	313 16 33 352 48 06	Lemon	148 21 19	5034.7	5505.8	3.13
Live Oak	32 28 28.69	80 48 24.39	345 14 52 7 17 27	Broad	157 20 58	4549.8	4975.5	2.83
Gopher	32 28 40.82	80 49 18.62	284 47 00 2 25 23	Lemon	175 08 32	6747.5	7378.9	4.19
Grant	32 30 00.76	80 48 53.14	345 10 26 15 07 10	Broad	157 24 47	4462.5	4880.0	2.77
Branch	32 29 39.20	80 48 24.36	0 01 01 38 14 02	Lemon	175 24 43	6666.0	7289.8	4.14
Whale 2	32 28 42.62	80 47 49.20	88 38 51 152 13 12	Broad	122 34 50	3859.5	4220.6	2.40
Yorick	32 29 12.04	80 46 48.99	60 02 21 108 34 27	Lemon	155 46 18	5047.1	5519.4	3.14
Dove	32 29 49.16	80 47 07.15	337 28 05 28 10 25	New Barnwell	133 17 29	3705.7	4052.4	2.30
Cole	32 30 05.70	80 46 47.99	0 54 09 44 29 11	New Harbor	172 48 19	5017.7	5487.2	3.12
Berry	32 30 25.52	80 47 22.72	303 57 29 340 03 22	New Barnwell	165 15 16	4645.7	5080.4	2.89
Tree	32 30 28.80	80 46 42.44	27 51 03 11 30 23	New Harbor	187 17 09	6986.6	7640.3	4.34
Nest	32 30 26.85	80 46 50.70	353 47 26 20 17 52	Live Oak	104 47 29	1464.4	1601.4	0.91
Eagle	32 29 09.51	80 47 49.57	135 11 25 267 10 13	Boyd's Neck	182 25 21	2327.8	2545.6	1.45
Fish	32 30 37.74	80 50 07.45	300 25 07 340 30 17	Live Oak	165 10 42	2933.6	3208.1	1.82
Hall	32 31 27.67	80 49 53.95	329 19 52 12 54 16	Gopher	195 06 56	2550.5	2789.1	1.58
Flat-top pine, Parry Island	32 19 18.57	80 41 05.11	125 24 52 120 30 57	Live Oak	180 01 01	2171.8	2375.0	1.35
Tall pine, Parry Island	32 20 24.28	80 41 53.62	113 06 01 113 40 11	Gopher	218 13 33	2288.9	2503.0	1.42
Barrel, east	32 21 46.95	80 45 09.30	306 26 46 347 51 44	Whale 2	240 01 49	1814.4	1984.2	1.13
Large dead tree	32 22 06.73	80 48 39.12	255 36 23 227 13 12	Branch	288 33 36	2626.5	2872.3	1.63
Stake in water	32 23 42.08	80 48 14.38	148 49 26 267 04 26	Yorick	157 28 15	1237.7	1353.5	0.77
White and red flag	32 23 19.46	80 47 53.43	330 46 30 248 36 27	Whale 2	208 10 03	2324.8	2542.3	1.44
				Yorick	180 54 09	1652.7	1807.4	1.03
				Dove	224 29 01	713.9	780.7	0.44
				Cole	123 57 48	1092.9	1195.2	0.68
				Dove	160 03 30	1191.3	1302.7	0.74
				Dove	207 50 50	1381.0	1510.2	0.86
				Cole	191 30 20	726.3	794.3	0.45
				Cole	173 47 27	655.4	716.7	0.41
				Dove	200 17 43	1237.7	1353.5	0.77
				Branch	315 11 06	1288.9	1409.5	0.80
				Yorick	87 10 46	1583.4	1731.5	0.98
				Grant	120 25 47	2249.3	2459.8	1.40
				Gopher	160 30 43	3820.2	4177.6	2.37
				Grant	149 20 25	3111.9	3403.1	1.93
				Fish	192 54 09	1577.6	1725.2	0.98
				Archer	305 23 05	6399.0	6997.7	3.98
				Lemon	300 27 38	11290.3	12346.7	7.01
				Archer	293 04 40	4290.7	4692.2	2.67
				Lemon	293 37 18	9235.3	10099.4	5.74
				Archer	126 27 10	1453.2	1589.2	0.90
				Daw	167 52 13	6766.5	7399.6	4.20
				Lemon	75 37 07	2209.9	2416.7	1.37
				Broad	47 14 20	4525.2	4948.6	2.81
				New Harbor	328 49 02	2218.0	2425.5	1.38
				Broad	87 05 21	2678.2	2928.8	1.66
				Lemon	150 46 49	1938.1	2119.5	1.20
				Broad	68 37 11	2284.9	2498.7	1.42

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Section V.—Broad River and Whale Branch.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Dead tree near hammock.....	32 22 26.70	80 50 03.59	246 01 03 202 00 20	Broad..... New Harbor.....	66 02 56 22 00 55	6051.1 4551.0	6617.3 4976.8	3.76 2.83
Tall dead tree.....	32 24 53.55	80 49 50.56	282 32 12 238 08 04	New Harbor..... New Barnwell.....	102 32 40 58 09 14	1398.0 4043.1	1528.8 4421.4	0.87 2.51
White Hall, center.....	32 26 39.98	80 51 50.33	302 41 36 302 48 39	Broad..... Harbor.....	122 44 27 122 50 23	9881.6 6027.4	10806.2 6591.4	6.14 3.75
Hazard Hall, center.....	32 25 09.17	80 50 56.51	290 11 05 277 18 18	Broad..... Harbor.....	110 13 27 97 19 33	7360.4 3691.0	8049.1 4036.4	4.57 2.29
Double-top pine.....	32 26 20.26	80 49 56.27	203 47 28 278 30 55	Boyd's Neck..... New Barnwell.....	23 47 46 98 32 09	2190.0 3624.1	2394.9 3963.2	1.36 2.25
Center of house on Port Royal Island.	32 23 09.60	80 45 06.08	67 58 11 342 20 10	Lemon..... Archer.....	247 57 01 162 20 32	3698.7 3577.3	4044.8 3912.0	2.30 2.22
Tallest of two trees, long lower limb.	32 26 24.28	80 47 04.59	117 35 30 2 33 42	Boyd's Neck..... Lemon.....	297 34 16 162 33 35	4060.2 7391.7	4440.1 8083.4	2.52 4.59
White-washed palmetto.....	32 26 42.32	80 49 15.28	202 04 24 295 49 58	Live Oak..... New Barnwell.....	22 04 51 115 50 49	3535.4 2791.1	3866.2 3052.3	2.20 1.73
Red crosses.....	32 27 47.55	80 49 11.01	199 29 51 23 27 03	Branch..... Boyd's Neck.....	19 30 16 203 26 57	3648.2 746.6	3959.6 816.4	2.27 0.46
Whale 1.....	32 28 07.34	80 48 26.59	2 29 22 341 54 28	Harbor..... Barnwell.....	182 29 17 161 54 54	5961.7 4117.3	6519.6 4502.6	3.70 2.56
Island.....	32 28 07.13	80 48 26.08	127 05 33 48 47 14	Gopher..... Boyd's Neck.....	307 06 01 228 46 44	1720.0 1954.5	1880.9 2137.4	1.07 1.21
Hog.....	32 27 38.71	80 49 23.54	355 50 14 183 50 15	Boyd's Neck..... Gopher.....	175 50 15 3 50 18	413.7 1917.3	452.4 2096.7	0.26 1.19
Lath.....	32 28 58.16	80 48 20.65	175 36 55 156 15 43	Branch..... Grant.....	355 36 53 336 15 26	1967.6 2106.4	1386.2 2303.5	0.79 1.31
Blue flag.....	32 29 05.79	80 49 04.43	225 27 35 25 43 38	Branch..... Gopher.....	45 27 57 205 43 30	1467.2 853.6	1604.5 933.4	0.91 0.53
White and black pole.....	32 29 37.42	80 49 36.62	156 35 10 237 38 22	Fish..... Grant.....	336 34 53 57 38 45	9024.9 1343.6	2214.4 1469.3	1.26 0.84
Tall straight dead tree.....	32 30 16.07	80 48 50.80	13 53 55 108 27 21	Gopher..... Fish.....	193 54 10 288 26 40	3022.3 2109.1	3305.1 2306.5	1.88 1.31
Point.....	32 31 12.29	80 50 20.55	313 50 48 342 11 41	Grant..... Fish.....	134 00 35 162 11 48	3171.5 1117.7	3468.2 1222.3	1.97 0.69
West chimney.....	32 31 48.99	80 50 13.70	321 52 53 355 45 10	Hall..... Fish.....	141 53 05 175 45 13	834.6 2200.4	912.7 2406.3	0.52 1.37
Picket.....	32 32 05.42	80 50 53.55	306 46 50 335 59 10	Hall..... Fish.....	126 47 22 155 59 35	1941.7 2956.3	2123.4 3232.8	1.21 1.84
Crow Tree.....	32 32 03.93	80 52 11.27	287 18 03 309 23 46	Hall..... Fish.....	107 19 17 129 24 53	3753.0 4181.6	4104.2 4572.8	2.33 2.60
Bird Tree.....	32 31 30.11	80 51 37.67	271 35 01 304 24 30	Hall..... Fish.....	91 35 57 124 25 18	2707.5 2853.8	2960.8 3120.9	1.68 1.77
Bob Tree.....	32 27 58.61	80 50 50.96	230 59 57 256 22 56	Branch..... Live Oak.....	51 01 16 76 24 15	4924.0 3937.5	5384.8 4305.9	3.06 2.45
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SAVANNAH EXCHANGE, SPIRE.....	32 04 51.70	81 05 15.05						
SOUTH BASE.....	32 05 34.15	81 03 05.09	69 01 07	Exchange, spire.....	248 59 58	3649.6	3991.1	2.27
Fort Jackson 2.....	32 04 55.95	81 01 56.94	88 34 17 123 21 58	Exchange, spire..... South base.....	268 32 32 303 21 22	5196.3 2139.4	5682.5 2339.6	3.23 1.33
Signal station.....	32 05 15.04	81 00 54.03	70 23 33 99 43 56	Fort Jackson 2..... South base.....	250 23 00 279 42 46	1751.1 3486.3	1914.9 3812.5	1.09 2.17
Scroven's chimney.....	32 05 36.78	81 02 48.72	312 48 05 79 22 16	Fort Jackson 2..... South base.....	132 48 32 259 22 07	1850.9 437.0	2024.1 477.9	1.15 0.27
Tatnall.....	32 05 09.24	81 02 05.33	83 49 00 264 32 08	Exchange, spire..... Signal station.....	263 47 20 84 32 46	5003.8 1877.8	5472.0 2053.5	3.11 1.17
Bruton's rice-mill, chimney.....	32 04 24.40	81 03 19.28	245 45 33 234 32 12	Fort Jackson 2..... Tatnall.....	65 46 17 54 32 51	2367.8 2380.8	2589.3 2603.6	1.47 1.48
Derrick.....	32 05 22.63	81 02 02.39	277 26 30 102 10 20	Signal station..... South base.....	97 27 06 282 09 47	1807.5 1681.5	1976.6 1838.8	1.12 1.05

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Section V.—Savannah River, Ga.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Smith's rice-mill, chimney.....	32 06 15.09	81 01 06.89	37 04 34 28 18 22	Tatnall	217 04 03	2541.7	2779.6	1.58
Fig Island light	32 04 56.59	81 03 33.34	212 37 31 270 26 52	Fort Jackson 2.....	208 17 55	2768.2	3027.2	1.72
White house	32 05 49.39	81 01 53.20	3 24 37 304 17 17	South base.....	32 37 46	1373.8	1502.4	0.85
Fort Jackson, flag-staff.....	32 04 54.04	81 01 57.59	156 33 12 196 04 35	Fort Jackson 2.....	90 27 43	2528.0	2764.5	1.57
Torpedo	32 05 01.11	81 02 28.69	247 45 39 280 47 34	Fort Jackson 2.....	183 24 35	1648.5	1802.8	1.02
Steam saw-mill, chimney	32 05 20.26	81 05 53.37	276 49 39 311 12 14	Signal station.....	124 17 48	1877.8	2053.5	1.17
Cheves, tall chimney	32 06 07.10	81 04 26.69	253 37 34 247 55 06	Tatnall	336 33 08	510.3	558.0	0.32
Judge Huger's, tall chimney....	32 06 34.04	81 05 05.32	300 19 43 121 07 42	Fort Jackson 2.....	16 04 35	61.3	67.0	0.04
Manigault's red brick-mill, chimney.	32 10 59.74	81 07 00.32	75 56 58 37 23 15	Tatnall	67 45 51	661.8	723.8	0.41
Manigault's pounding-mill, east ball.	32 10 25.22	81 07 12.52	94 06 26 43 48 42	Fort Jackson 2.....	100 47 51	847.5	926.8	0.53
Black iron chimney at Coleraine.	32 09 54.70	81 09 11.78	183 33 28 336 05 20	Fort Jackson 1.....	96 51 44	6214.8	6796.3	3.86
Fort Pulaski, flag-staff.....	32 01 37.07	80 53 13.52	194 42 02 277 08 57	Exchange, spire.....	131 12 34	1335.3	1460.2	0.83
Tybee beacon.....	32 01 17.20	80 50 05.25	97 04 37 152 52 25	North base.....	73 38 03	3052.6	3338.2	1.90
Turtle.....	32 03 42.06	80 53 29.97	353 36 23 223 18 09	Daniell	67 55 48	2248.6	2459.0	1.40
Long	32 02 52.35	80 56 03.40	238 45 44 297 28 11	South base.....	190 20 47	3651.5	3993.1	2.27
Viele	32 03 58.69	80 56 44.66	257 14 13 308 12 16	King.....	301 06 35	4005.3	4380.1	2.49
North wreck	32 02 15.81	80 53 31.33	203 03 29 59 25 01	Drakie.....	255 55 49	3475.6	3800.8	2.16
Pulaski beacon.....	32 01 49.42	80 53 20.25	335 04 05 67 27 32	Potter	217 22 19	4515.4	4937.9	2.81
Jones.....	32 03 09.42	80 55 06.10	300 39 38 313 54 52	Drakie.....	274 05 24	3059.8	3346.1	1.90
Oyster beacon.....	32 02 09.20	80 53 52.70	242 51 34 313 56 03	Potter	223 47 53	3498.5	3825.9	2.17
Old tower	32 03 49.53	80 56 35.98	307 30 39 299 14 22	Drakie.....	3 33 29	1160.8	1269.4	0.72
House	32 02 02.22	80 54 15.18	246 11 24 295 34 25	Potter	156 05 34	1733.9	1896.2	1.08
Bend	32 02 15.73	80 55 10.01	267 13 25 291 16 34	Mungen	14 42 34	6169.8	6747.1	3.83
Tower 1.....	32 02 08.89	80 54 50.97	216 31 00 290 57 32	Tybee light.....	97 10 23	4288.0	4689.2	2.66
Bain	32 02 21.32	80 56 18.06	201 56 18 285 42 25	Fort Pulaski, flag-staff..	277 02 59	4977.7	5443.4	3.09
Bird.....	32 03 36.60	80 57 16.31	300 00 10 291 31 11	Mungen	332 51 17	7393.7	8055.5	4.59
Brick beacon.....	32 01 56.11	80 53 05.26	20 23 47 194 04 45	Fort Pulaski, flag-staff..	173 36 32	3873.6	4236.0	2.41
Braddock 2.....	32 06 59.49	80 47 48.42	60 21 29 55 50 42	Mungen	43 18 49	2911.2	3183.6	1.81
Gove	32 09 02.90	80 43 30.81	35 11 48 57 28 35	Fort Pulaski, flag-staff..	58 47 46	7040.8	7699.6	4.37
Cholera	32 06 47.71	80 48 52.01	10 41 30 55 47 26	Fort Pulaski, flag-staff..	117 29 41	5023.4	5493.4	3.12
				Mungen	77 16 37	7282.0	7963.4	4.52
				Fort Pulaski, flag-staff..	128 14 08	7049.6	7709.2	4.38
				Wilmington	23 04 10	5189.9	5675.5	3.22
				Fort Pulaski, flag-staff..	239 23 14	6164.2	6741.0	3.83
				Wilmington	155 04 09	419.2	458.5	0.26
				Square beacon.....	247 25 39	6060.4	6627.4	3.77
				Fort Pulaski, flag-staff..	190 40 30	2988.9	3268.5	1.86
				Fort Pulaski, flag-staff..	133 55 52	4100.4	4484.0	2.55
				Square beacon.....	62 51 47	724.2	792.0	0.45
				Fort Pulaski, flag-staff..	133 56 24	1462.1	1598.9	0.91
				Fort Pulaski, flag-staff..	127 32 26	6697.0	7323.7	4.16
				Square beacon.....	119 16 02	5648.7	6177.2	3.51
				Square beacon.....	66 11 49	1350.5	1476.8	0.84
				Fort Pulaski, flag-staff..	115 34 58	1793.6	1961.4	1.11
				Square beacon.....	87 14 19	2676.6	2927.0	1.66
				Fort Pulaski, flag-staff..	111 17 36	3279.9	3586.8	2.04
				Turtle	36 31 43	3570.7	3904.8	2.22
				Fort Pulaski, flag-staff..	110 58 24	2738.0	2994.1	1.70
				Long	21 56 26	1030.0	1126.4	0.64
				Fort Pulaski, flag-staff..	105 44 03	5029.7	5500.4	3.13
				Fort Pulaski, flag-staff..	190 02 19	7356.8	8045.1	4.57
				Square beacon.....	111 33 12	6434.9	7037.1	4.00
				Fort Pulaski, flag-staff..	200 23 43	624.6	683.0	0.39
				Mungen	14 05 12	5547.4	6066.5	3.45
				Mungen	240 19 08	8006.8	8756.0	4.97
				Turtle	235 47 41	10825.4	11838.3	6.73
				Tybee beacon.....	215 08 23	17546.6	19188.4	10.90
				Turtle	237 23 21	18357.4	20075.1	11.41
				Tybee beacon	190 40 51	10359.8	11329.2	6.44
				Mungen	235 45 39	6398.8	6997.5	3.98

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Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Black Ball.....	32 00 53.96	80 52 41.43	147 37 15 185 40 05	Fort Pulaski, flag-staff .. Mungen	327 36 58 5 40 20	1572.5 7331.5	1719.6 8017.5	0.98 4.56
Buck.....	32 08 14.80	80 45 25.63	29 42 29 56 33 02	Tybee beacon	209 40 01	14805.2	16190.5	9.20
Tower 3.....	32 04 19.65	80 58 06.08	264 02 12 303 06 12	Turtle	236 28 45	15224.9	16649.5	9.46
Tower 4.....	32 05 39.86	80 59 16.24	308 05 29 323 18 20	Mungen	84 05 19	9286.3	10155.2	5.77
Tower 2.....	32 04 24.99	80 57 22.90	264 22 26 81 46 36	Fort Pulaski, flag-staff .. Viele	123 08 47 128 06 50	9162.6 5049.8	10019.9	5.69
Round beacon	32 01 21.33	80 52 34.94	270 52 47 152 19 31	Tower 3	143 18 57	3080.3	3368.5	1.91
				Mungen	84 25 10	8141.8	8903.7	5.06
				Tower 3	261 46 13	1142.1	1249.0	0.71
				Tybee light.....	90 53 52	3242.9	3546.4	2.01
				Square beacon	322 19 03	2280.4	2493.7	1.42

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Sanibel Island base, east end...	26 26 54.33	82 01 10.35
Sanibel Island base, west end...	26 26 01.19	82 02 57.67	241 11 00	East base	61 11 48	3393.2	3710.7	2.11
Middle Point.....	26 28 12.33	82 03 24.47	302 51 38 349 34 39	East base	122 52 38	4423.0	4836.9	2.75
Punta Rasa	26 29 15.32	82 00 37.40	11 52 44 67 16 46	West base	169 34 51	4103.4	4487.3	2.55
Sword Point.....	26 31 31.93	82 02 17.85	326 30 31 16 43 13	East base	191 52 29	4433.7	4848.5	2.76
Bowditch Point	26 27 34.35	81 57 20.20	78 35 41 120 56 44	Middle Point	247 15 32	5016.3	5485.7	3.12
Sanibel.....	26 25 55.03	82 06 38.28	231 47 04 268 12 38	Punta Rasa.....	146 31 16	5040.7	5512.4	3.13
Havelock.....	26 30 08.92	82 05 59.45	309 53 06 7 50 21	Middle Point	196 49 43	6413.4	7013.5	3.98
Blind Pass	26 28 55.00	82 10 56.77	254 32 10 307 42 17	East base	258 34 03	6221.2	6803.3	3.87
Captiva	26 33 32.81	82 12 08.97	301 30 12 346 50 16	Punta Rasa.....	300 55 20	6044.3	6609.9	3.76
Lucknow.....	26 35 34.78	82 07 53.10	342 34 39 62 05 07	Middle Point	51 48 30	6831.7	7471.0	4.24
Captive Pass.....	26 36 40.01	82 13 18.27	282 33 34 341 35 11	West base	88 14 16	6114.6	6686.7	3.80
Point Ybel	26 27 17.82	82 00 36.62	109 51 11 264 21 37	Middle Point	129 54 15	5593.7	6117.0	3.48
San Carlos.....	26 29 00.16	81 59 27.60	36 19 16 31 15 47	Sanibel	187 50 04	7886.5	8624.4	4.90
Flag-staff.....	26 29 18.15	82 00 36.27	66 30 35 301 46 49	Havelock	74 34 23	8541.5	9340.7	5.31
Spanish Curlew	26 29 33.47	82 03 20.88	277 01 22 2 16 40	Sanibel	127 44 13	9052.0	9899.0	5.62
Eagle's Nest	26 28 05.87	82 06 26.40	191 08 57 267 43 41	Havelock	121 32 57	11999.9	13122.7	7.46
Josephine.....	26 29 26.04	82 04 50.44	264 43 42 313 36 28	Blind Pass.....	166 50 48	8779.9	9601.4	5.46
New Year	26 28 44.61	82 07 39.09	226 45 18 278 00 05	Havelock	162 35 30	10509.9	11493.3	6.53
Annie	26 30 58.09	82 10 42.07	208 45 49 309 01 15	Captiva.....	242 03 12	8013.3	8763.1	4.98
Cowpore	26 32 43.57	82 11 20.77	227 28 15 298 07 44	Lucknow	102 36 00	9216.7	10079.1	5.73
Oyster-shell	26 32 46.57	82 07 23.10	89 12 37 170 53 24	Captiva.....	161 35 42	6071.5	6639.6	3.77
Raccoon Point.....	26 27 43.57	82 05 45.02	205 36 39 257 11 01	Middle Point	229 49 56	4942.3	5404.7	3.07
				Bowditch Point.....	84 23 00	5188.8	5674.3	3.22
				East base	216 18 30	4805.3	5254.9	2.99
				Point Ybel	211 15 16	3684.0	4028.7	2.29
				Middle Point	246 29 20	5079.1	5554.4	3.16
				Bowditch Point.....	121 48 12	6063.0	6630.3	3.77
				Punta Rasa.....	97 02 34	4561.4	4988.2	2.83
				Middle Point	182 16 39	2498.8	2732.6	1.55
				Havelock	11 09 09	3859.5	4220.6	2.40
				Middle Point	87 45 02	5042.8	5514.7	3.13
				Spanish Curlew.....	84 44 22	2490.3	2723.3	1.55
				Middle Point	133 37 07	3288.3	3596.0	2.04
				Havelock	46 46 02	3787.4	4141.8	2.35
				Middle Point	98 01 59	7121.3	7787.6	4.43
				Lucknow	28 47 05	9714.3	10623.3	6.04
				New Year	129 02 37	6522.3	7132.6	4.05
				Lucknow	47 29 48	7796.4	8525.9	4.84
				Havelock	118 10 08	10088.3	11032.3	6.27
				Cowpore.....	269 10 51	6578.9	7194.4	4.09
				Lucknow	350 53 10	5242.6	5733.1	3.26
				Josephine	25 37 03	3496.9	3824.1	2.17
				Middle Point	77 12 04	3992.2	4365.7	2.48

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	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Lawrence	26 29 23.57	82 09 10.14	138 49 03 205 22 13	Annie	318 48 22	3865.1	4226.8	2.40
				Oyster Shell	25 23 01	6914.2	7561.2	4.30
Mellie	26 35 08.39	82 12 13.19	263 32 39	Lucknow	83 34 35	7241.4	7918.9	4.50
			341 58 10	Cownpore	161 58 33	4686.7	5125.2	2.91
Boca Captiva	26 36 43.78	82 13 18.19	283 15 52 341 56 44	Lucknow	103 18 17	9240.4	10105.0	5.74
				Captiva	161 57 15	6181.0	6759.4	3.84
Bocillas	26 42 15.66	82 09 57.88	344 21 58 28 29 01	Lucknow	164 22 54	12809.9	14008.5	7.96
				Boca Captiva	208 27 31	11615.5	12702.3	7.22
Boca Grande	26 43 03.49	82 15 37.75	278 53 10 341 43 02	Bocillas	98 55 43	9507.8	10397.4	5.91
				Boca Captiva	161 44 04	12305.9	13457.4	7.65
Oso	26 47 00.32	82 12 42.77	332 30 50 33 34 06	Bocillas	152 32 04	9874.2	10798.1	6.14
				Boca Grande	213 32 47	8745.9	9545.3	5.43
El Cabo	26 47 05.15	82 08 43.88	12 55 47 56 59 09	Bocillas	192 55 14	9140.7	9996.0	5.68
				Boca Grande	236 56 02	13640.1	14916.4	8.48
Torrey	26 46 37.95	82 03 31.61	52 55 26 95 33 48	Bocillas	232 52 32	13381.6	14633.7	8.31
				El Cabo	275 31 28	8665.8	9476.6	5.38
Brown	26 39 40.54	82 08 59.92	346 15 49 52 43 29	Lucknow	166 16 19	7785.3	8513.8	4.84
				Boca Captiva	232 41 33	8977.9	9817.9	5.58
Inglis	26 37 33.12	82 12 57.56	20 35 50 209 43 51	Boca Captiva	200 35 41	1621.9	1773.7	1.01
				Bocillas	29 45 12	10014.1	10951.1	6.22
Mistake	26 37 46.35	82 10 33.55	67 05 25 216 22 39	Boca Captiva	247 04 11	4944.3	5406.9	3.07
				Brown	36 23 21	4364.7	4773.1	2.71
Useppa	26 39 41.87	82 12 35.21	270 22 52 140 53 35	Brown	90 24 29	5952.6	6500.5	3.70
				Boca Grande	320 52 13	7997.5	8745.8	4.97
Las	26 42 06.08	82 10 33.27	101 52 39 158 26 54	Boca Grande	281 50 22	8598.6	9403.2	5.34
				Oso	338 25 56	9736.4	10647.4	6.05
La Costa	26 39 35.49	82 14 44.97	335 34 01 167 09 48	Boca Captiva	155 34 40	5803.7	6346.7	3.61
				Boca Grande	347 09 24	6565.2	7179.5	4.08
Punta Blanco	26 40 38.66	82 13 20.93	241 58 57 139 41 38	Bocillas	62 00 28	6357.2	6952.1	3.95
				Boca Grande	319 40 36	5845.2	6392.1	3.63
Pelayo	26 45 58.69	82 14 45.04	315 48 13 310 50 30	Las	135 50 06	9982.2	10916.2	6.20
				Bocillas	130 52 39	10491.3	11472.9	6.52
Gasparilla	26 48 23.22	82 16 25.93	292 28 21 352 17 37	Oso	112 30 02	6670.3	7294.4	4.14
				Boca Grande	172 17 59	9929.1	10858.2	6.17
Aguado	26 46 24.89	82 11 14.80	49 32 55 344 30 27	Boca Grande	229 30 57	9549.4	10442.9	5.93
				Bocillas	164 31 02	7959.0	8703.7	4.95
Belinda	26 42 25.52	82 04 49.65	87 58 45 143 04 12	Bocillas	267 56 26	8524.7	9322.3	5.30
				El Cabo	323 02 27	10765.1	11772.4	6.69
Darling	26 40 54.76	82 06 34.21	225 58 23 205 31 32	Belinda	45 59 10	4019.3	4395.4	2.50
				Torrey	25 32 54	11704.8	12800.0	7.27
Kennedy	26 44 13.84	82 03 59.50	69 51 30 34 55 12	Bocillas	249 48 49	10550.6	11537.9	6.56
				Darling	214 54 02	7471.0	8170.1	4.64
Dorr	26 40 41.11	82 05 12.85	100 35 04 191 17 06	Darling	280 34 28	2288.2	2502.3	1.42
				Belinda	11 17 16	3276.6	3583.2	2.04
Matlacha	26 39 29.18	82 06 07.19	164 09 33 214 09 43	Darling	344 09 21	2737.5	2993.6	1.70
				Dorr	34 10 07	2675.0	2925.3	1.66
Rubber	26 38 47.14	82 05 36.22	157 47 22 146 30 01	Darling	337 46 56	4242.0	4638.9	2.64
				Matlacha	326 29 47	1551.7	1696.9	0.96
Gull	26 39 14.43	82 04 41.66	60 54 00 100 52 34	Rubber	240 53 36	1796.5	1888.0	1.07
				Matlacha	280 51 56	2408.1	2633.5	1.50
Owl	26 37 26.23	82 04 56.12	155 59 42 186 50 37	Rubber	335 59 24	2725.9	2981.0	1.69
				Gull	6 50 43	3353.7	3667.5	2.08
Caloosa	26 29 35.71	82 03 08.78	201 31 12 278 30 15	Sword Point	21 31 35	3844.7	4204.4	2.39
				Punta Rasa	98 31 23	4238.9	4635.5	2.63
White	26 32 12.50	82 03 59.27	293 57 47 343 50 21	Sword Point	113 58 32	3073.0	3360.6	1.91
				Caloosa	163 50 44	5023.4	5493.4	3.12
Buttonwood	26 32 56.75	82 03 18.56	327 12 51 39 36 49	Sword Point	147 13 18	3104.5	3395.0	1.93
				White	219 36 31	1767.5	1932.9	1.10
Bailey	26 33 42.05	82 04 34.88	303 25 25 340 19 17	Buttonwood	123 25 59	2530.8	2767.6	1.57
				White	160 19 33	2926.8	3200.6	1.82

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	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Fards.	Miles.
Grape	26 34 00.55	82 03 39.67	343 25 50 69 34 22	Buttonwood	163 25 59	2048.5	2240.2	1.27
				Bailey	249 33 57	1630.5	1783.0	1.01
Narrows	26 34 56.88	82 03 57.07	344 28 15 24 26 06	Grape	164 28 23	1799.2	1967.6	1.12
				Bailey	204 25 49	2529.2	2765.9	1.57
Deer	26 35 45.59	82 02 36.29	28 28 44 56 09 09	Grape	208 28 16	2677.6	4021.7	2.28
				Narrows	236 08 33	2691.1	2942.9	1.67
Lumber	26 35 57.94	82 03 41.69	359 06 17 12 45 03	Grape	179 06 18	3613.1	3951.2	2.25
				Narrows	192 44 56	1926.6	2106.9	1.20
Meridian	26 37 00.77	82 02 57.82	103 28 20 145 05 00	Owl	283 27 27	3364.5	3679.3	2.09
				Gull	325 04 13	5016.6	5486.0	3.12
Buzzard	26 38 42.40	82 03 52.50	334 09 20 36 51 31	Meridian	154 09 44	3474.9	3800.1	2.16
				Owl	216 51 02	2922.7	3196.2	1.82
Flag in tree	26 37 16.71	82 04 43.34	279 31 49 324 52 16	Meridian	99 32 36	2959.6	3236.5	1.84
				Lumber	144 52 44	2963.8	3241.2	1.84
Pawpaw	26 30 54.67	82 03 10.41	176 33 30 231 45 27	Buttonwood	356 33 26	3763.5	4115.6	2.34
				Sword Point	51 45 50	1852.8	2026.2	1.15
Boots	26 34 59.98	82 04 44.02	315 45 37 353 58 26	Grape	135 46 06	2552.9	2791.8	1.59
				Bailey	173 58 30	2411.6	2637.2	1.50
Punta Gorda	26 53 36.07	82 05 22.05	346 39 43 24 51 53	Torrey	166 40 33	13224.0	14461.4	8.22
				El Cabo	204 50 22	13258.2	14498.8	8.24
Flat	26 49 40.93	82 14 02.78	335 54 27 58 49 55	Oso	155 53 03	5414.2	5920.8	3.36
				Gasparilla	238 48 50	4619.7	5052.0	2.87
Mound	26 48 22.96	82 10 36.94	53 48 27 112 54 02	Oso	233 47 30	4306.2	4709.1	2.68
				Flat	292 52 29	6169.4	6746.7	3.83
Trepador	26 50 17.50	82 16 14.54	287 11 08 5 06 36	Flat	107 12 08	3807.7	4164.0	2.37
				Gasparilla	185 06 31	3551.1	3883.4	2.21
Boca Nueva	26 50 38.87	82 17 51.26	283 49 29 330 33 18	Trepador	103 50 13	2749.8	3007.1	1.71
				Gasparilla	150 33 56	4793.4	5241.9	2.98
Coral	26 48 58.68	82 14 57.89	65 50 01 122 47 54	Gasparilla	245 49 21	2664.2	2913.5	1.66
				Boca Nueva	302 46 36	5692.4	6225.0	3.54
Llano	26 51 04.09	82 17 23.53	342 11 11 306 58 05	Gasparilla	162 11 37	5200.0	5686.6	3.23
				Trepador	126 58 36	2383.9	2607.0	1.48
Jardella	26 47 16.93	82 12 49.46	340 07 14 108 51 24	Oso	160 07 17	543.4	594.2	0.34
				Gasparilla	238 49 46	6316.8	6907.8	3.92
Flag	26 47 22.24	82 14 13.12	117 06 14 157 23 16	Gasparilla	297 05 14	4119.9	4505.4	2.56
				Coral	337 22 56	3214.9	3515.8	2.00
Buck	26 51 59.06	82 18 40.35	308 34 52 331 13 49	Llano	128 35 27	2712.4	2966.2	1.69
				Boca Nueva	151 14 11	2815.6	3079.0	1.75
Gopher	26 51 52.13	82 18 06.10	349 42 16 102 42 57	Boca Nueva	169 42 23	2291.7	2506.2	1.42
				Buck	282 42 42	969.1	1059.8	0.60
Pine	26 52 24.25	82 18 52.41	307 42 28 336 45 19	Gopher	127 42 49	1615.7	1766.8	1.00
				Buck	156 45 24	843.5	922.4	0.52
Sand	26 49 30.43	82 10 24.97	9 02 57 93 05 20	Mound	189 02 52	2102.5	2299.2	1.31
				Flat	273 03 42	6022.5	6586.0	3.74
Mullet	26 49 12.48	82 09 45.32	43 05 22 116 46 11	Mound	223 04 59	2086.9	2282.1	1.30
				Sand	296 45 53	1226.2	1341.0	0.76
Bill	26 47 25.11	82 10 53.23	75 51 04 194 10 52	Oso	255 50 15	3119.9	3411.8	1.94
				Mound	14 10 59	1836.2	2008.0	1.14
Dana	26 51 22.25	82 09 15.32	237 22 40 312 39 03	Punta Gorda	57 24 25	7642.4	8357.5	4.75
				Torrey	132 41 38	12908.3	14116.1	8.02
Shoal Point	26 55 31.53	82 09 05.28	299 58 11 2 04 07	Punta Gorda	119 59 52	7110.5	7775.8	4.42
				Dana	182 04 02	7676.8	8395.1	4.77
Locust Point	26 55 49.91	82 07 53.83	314 31 04 15 16 24	Punta Gorda	134 32 13	5873.7	6423.3	3.65
				Dana	195 15 47	8538.7	9337.6	5.31
Eureka	26 54 55.51	82 05 39.18	114 16 03 101 02 42	Locust Point	294 15 02	4074.2	4455.4	2.53
				Shoal Point	281 01 09	5792.7	6334.8	3.60
Bruce	26 53 50.24	82 10 06.97	273 09 24 254 46 19	Punta Gorda	93 11 33	7874.0	8610.8	4.89
				Eureka	74 48 20	7656.7	8373.1	4.76
Palmetto	26 56 05.43	82 09 49.30	310 39 56 6 41 05	Shoal Point	130 40 16	1600.8	1750.6	0.99
				Bruce	186 40 57	4189.1	4581.1	2.60

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	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Myakka.....	26 56 13.67	82 10 51.70	293 49 31 278 22 18	Shoal Point.....	113 50 19	3209.0	3509.2	1.99
				Palmetto.....	98 22 46	1739.7	1902.5	1.08
Grassy Point.....	26 57 14.06	82 05 48.77	356 26 55 53 06 24	Eureka.....	176 26 59	4272.0	4671.7	2.65
				Locust Point.....	233 05 28	4313.4	4717.0	2.68
Cooper.....	26 55 37.51	82 04 59.41	94 32 40 155 23 02	Locust Point.....	274 31 21	4296.5	5278.1	3.00
				Grassy Point.....	335 22 40	3268.5	3574.3	2.03
Willow Point.....	26 56 18.84	82 02 51.79	83 55 09 70 08 38	Locust Point.....	263 52 52	8378.9	9162.9	5.21
				Cooper.....	250 07 40	3743.0	4093.2	2.33
Live Oak.....	26 57 12.85	82 03 33.38	38 57 58 325 23 10	Cooper.....	218 57 19	3773.5	4126.6	2.34
				Willow Point.....	145 23 28	2019.8	2208.2	1.26
New Point.....	26 56 58.24	82 01 49.34	64 39 14 54 51 15	Cooper.....	244 37 49	5801.3	6344.1	3.60
				Willow Point.....	234 50 47	2106.4	2303.5	1.31
Piney Point.....	26 58 01.86	82 02 06.15	21 39 04 57 55 00	Willow Point.....	201 38 44	3411.3	3730.5	2.12
				Live Oak.....	237 54 20	2839.3	3105.0	1.76
Pelican.....	26 50 17.84	82 03 36.16	101 58 31 154 24 35	Dana.....	281 55 58	9569.8	10465.2	5.95
				Punta Gorda.....	334 23 47	7397.4	8062.3	4.20
Koonty.....	26 57 04.98	82 06 46.69	260 04 20 340 02 00	Grassy Point.....	80 04 46	1621.6	1773.3	1.01
				Punta Gorda.....	160 02 38	6840.1	7480.1	4.25
Alligator.....	26 52 24.65	82 03 26.49	121 37 27 3 55 04	Shoal Point.....	301 34 54	10975.1	12002.1	6.82
				Pelican.....	183 55 00	3911.8	4277.9	2.43
Key Point.....	26 47 48.29	82 03 36.12	164 43 31 179 59 05	Punta Gorda.....	344 42 43	11095.1	12095.1	6.89
				Pelican.....	359 59 05	4602.4	5033.0	2.86
Pole.....	26 49 56.44	82 09 03.54	303 39 29 265 48 44	Torrey.....	123 41 59	11015.3	12046.0	6.84
				Pelican.....	85 51 12	9062.0	9909.9	5.63
Mangrove Point.....	26 55 27.62	82 08 20.26	304 54 41 282 31 30	Punta Gorda.....	124 56 02	5996.7	6557.8	3.73
				Eureka.....	102 32 43	4552.2	4972.1	2.83
Trout.....	26 57 09.92	82 00 48.38	91 08 52 126 42 13	Live Oak Point.....	271 07 37	4551.5	4977.3	2.83
				Piney Point.....	306 41 38	2675.1	2925.4	1.66
Peas Creek.....	26 58 21.89	82 00 27.69	67 28 40 77 13 01	Live Oak Point.....	247 27 16	5544.2	6063.0	3.45
				Piney Point.....	257 12 16	2784.4	3044.9	1.73
Middle.....	26 57 32.25	82 00 39.05	110 46 49 82 55 55	Piney Point.....	290 46 09	2568.9	2809.2	1.60
				Live Oak Point.....	262 54 36	4844.8	5288.1	3.01

Section VII.—St. Joseph's Bay, Fla.

	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
CAPE ST. BLAS LIGHT.....	29 39 46.22	85 21 37.54						
DEAD OAK.....	29 41 06.25	85 16 37.10	73 03 30	Cape St. Blas light.....	253 01 01	8445.2	9235.4	5.25
Black's Island.....	29 43 37.55	85 19 38.53	313 40 36 24 11 49	Dead oak.....	133 42 06	6743.8	7374.9	4.19
				Cape St. Blas light.....	204 10 50	7807.6	8532.1	4.85
Haulover.....	29 40 56.80	85 19 32.11	266 26 55 57 12 57	Dead oak.....	86 28 21	4713.9	5155.0	2.93
				Cape St. Blas light.....	237 11 55	4011.8	4387.2	2.49
San Pedro.....	29 42 43.37	85 22 45.45	251 37 00 341 29 20	Black's Island.....	71 38 32	5293.1	5788.4	3.29
				Cape St. Blas light.....	161 29 54	5751.4	6289.5	3.57
Eagle Point.....	29 45 17.03	85 23 19.90	297 13 55 344 52 43	Black's Island.....	117 15 45	6690.0	7316.0	4.16
				Cape St. Blas light.....	164 53 33	10550.0	11537.2	6.56
St. Joseph.....	29 47 24.65	85 17 58.87	22 37 07 65 31 32	Cape St. Blas light.....	202 35 19	15288.3	16718.8	9.50
				Eagle Point.....	245 28 52	9475.5	10362.1	5.89
San Carlos.....	29 51 08.06	85 20 07.04	333 24 55 25 36 52	St. Joseph.....	153 25 59	7691.3	8411.0	4.78
				Eagle Point.....	205 35 16	11984.1	13105.5	7.45
St. Joseph's Point.....	29 51 56.65	85 23 33.82	312 56 30 285 04 20	St. Joseph.....	132 59 17	12287.4	13437.1	7.63
				San Carlos.....	105 06 03	5747.2	6285.0	3.57
Powell.....	29 48 07.65	85 24 30.42	277 08 58 231 49 36	St. Joseph.....	97 12 13	10597.2	11588.8	6.58
				San Carlos.....	51 51 47	8991.3	9832.6	5.59
<i>Santa Maria de Galvez Bay, Fla.</i>								
EMANUEL POINT 1.....	30 25 19.78	87 10 45.37						
GARÇON'S POINT.....	30 26 17.49	87 05 25.26	78 16 12	Emanuel Point 1.....	258 13 30	8724.2	9540.5	5.42
Redfish Point 2.....	30 24 00.52	87 04 42.97	104 11 11 165 01 21	Emanuel Point 1.....	284 08 07	9974.5	10907.8	6.20
				Garçon's Point.....	345 01 00	4365.6	4774.1	2.71

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Section VII.—Santa Maria de Galvez Bay, Fla.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
White Point 2	30 26 49.25	87 03 58.62	12 50 14 67 04 10	Redfish Point 2	192 49 52	5328.5	5827.1	3.31
				Garçon's Point	247 03 26	2510.0	2744.9	1.56
Santa Maria de Galvez	30 24 58.20	86 59 03.87	78 55 18 103 31 00	Redfish Point 2	258 52 26	9222.6	10085.5	5.73
				Garçon's Point	283 27 47	10465.3	11444.5	6.50
Escribano Point	30 30 17.55	87 01 02.86	342 06 10 43 27 09	Santa Maria de Galvez	162 07 10	10332.7	11299.6	6.42
				Garçon's Point	223 24 56	10179.3	11131.8	6.33
Miller	30 28 26.98	86 57 59.95	14 51 40 71 28 34	Santa Maria de Galvez	194 51 08	6650.9	7273.2	4.13
				Garçon's Point	251 24 48	12530.1	13702.5	7.79
East Bay	30 27 16.80	86 56 08.85	47 35 20 83 01 29	Santa Maria de Galvez	227 33 51	6326.2	6918.2	3.93
				Garçon's Point	262 56 47	14955.9	16355.4	9.29
PLANTATION HILL	30 22 08.05	87 08 37.91	150 03 13	Emanuel Point 1	330 02 08	6813.5	7451.0	4.23
Town Point 2	30 22 14.48	87 11 16.03	272 40 13 138 09 38	Plantation Hill	92 41 33	4226.3	4621.8	2.63
				Emanuel Point 1	8 09 54	5764.0	6303.4	3.58
Barkley 2	30 24 32.86	87 12 20.25	306 54 02 338 04 54	Plantation Hill	126 55 54	7423.2	8117.8	4.61
				Town Point 2	158 05 26	4592.9	5022.7	2.85
<i>Blackwater Bay, Fla.</i>								
Black Hammock	30 30 06.52	87 02 43.07	262 44 50 328 21 22	Escribano Point	82 45 41	2693.2	2945.2	1.67
				Santa Maria de Galvez	148 23 13	11149.5	12192.8	6.93
Barrel Stake	30 29 23.36	87 01 18.47	120 30 22 194 00 23	Black Hammock	300 29 39	2618.2	2863.2	1.63
				Escribano Point	14 00 31	1719.7	1880.6	1.07
Eagle Point	30 31 46.60	87 02 08.60	327 24 43 16 36 41	Escribano Point	147 25 16	3254.1	3558.6	2.02
				Black Hammock	196 36 23	3215.8	3516.7	2.00
Robinson's Point	30 32 52.30	87 06 49.95	4 07 49 30 34 44	Escribano Point	184 07 42	4777.4	5224.4	2.97
				Black Hammock	210 33 46	5928.8	6483.5	3.68
Catfish Lagoon	30 32 01.19	87 00 05.85	25 28 12 143 14 35	Escribano Point	205 27 43	3534.7	3865.4	2.20
				Robinson's Point	323 14 13	1964.1	2147.9	1.22
Grassy Point	30 31 23.85	87 00 40.35	174 37 45 218 38 39	Robinson's Point	354 37 40	2735.4	2991.3	1.70
				Catfish Lagoon	38 38 57	1472.3	1610.0	0.92
Woods	30 32 45.84	86 59 58.02	8 37 47 98 10 38	Catfish Lagoon	188 37 43	1390.5	1520.6	0.86
				Robinson's Point	278 10 12	1398.2	1529.1	0.87
Turtle Point	30 33 27.01	87 00 30.50	346 02 06 25 52 39	Catfish Lagoon	166 02 19	2722.6	2977.3	1.69
				Robinson's Point	205 52 29	1188.3	1299.5	0.74
Yellow Water	30 33 44.07	86 59 31.69	71 29 14 52 36 35	Turtle Point	251 28 44	1652.6	1807.2	1.03
				Robinson's Point	232 35 55	2625.5	2871.2	1.63
Bluff	30 34 39.88	86 59 46.96	27 19 56 26 52 45	Turtle Point	207 19 34	2526.0	2762.4	1.57
				Robinson's Point	206 52 13	3713.6	4061.0	2.31
Dover Wharf	30 34 16.73	87 00 00.96	26 39 31 207 35 12	Robinson's Point	206 39 06	2909.7	3181.9	1.81
				Bluff	27 35 19	804.8	880.1	0.50
Dover Mill, chimney	30 34 12.53	87 00 00.78	318 29 22 27 56 32	Yellow Water	138 29 37	1169.9	1279.4	0.73
				Robinson's Point	207 56 07	2796.6	3058.3	1.74
Pierce	30 34 24.94	87 00 10.89	313 43 42 320 18 27	Dover Wharf	133 43 47	366.1	400.4	0.23
				Yellow Water	140 18 47	1635.3	1788.3	1.02
Ward's Basin	30 34 41.42	86 59 07.04	62 06 43 87 28 50	Dover Wharf	242 06 16	1625.6	1777.7	1.01
				Bluff	267 28 30	1064.5	1164.1	0.66
Criglar	30 34 51.76	87 00 11.25	333 10 09 345 44 22	Yellow Water	153 10 29	2335.6	2554.1	1.45
				Dover Wharf	165 44 27	1113.1	1217.3	0.69
Falk	30 35 09.71	87 00 53.94	297 14 08 295 55 13	Bluff	117 14 42	2006.3	2194.0	1.25
				Criglar	115 55 35	1264.7	1383.0	0.79

Section VIII.—Chandeleur Sound, Western Coast, La.

SANDFLY	30 00 08.18	89 14 16.74						
NOWHERE	29 54 49.62	89 13 42.92	174 43 07	Sandfly	354 42 50	9850.2	10771.9	6.12
St. Bernard	29 54 47.32	89 20 04.03	223 16 48 269 34 36	Sandfly	43 19 41	13575.0	14845.2	8.43
				Nowhere	89 37 46	10222.3	11178.8	6.35
Otter Bayou	29 47 58.10	89 20 56.67	186 23 40 257 03 29	St. Bernard	6 24 06	12678.2	13864.5	7.88
				Point Comfort	77 07 21	12676.0	14080.8	8.00

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Section VIII.—Chandeleur Sound, Western Coast, La.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Point Chico	29 43 13.45	89 14 06.56	187 31 58 128 31 50	Point Comfort	7 32 27 308 28 26	11742.0 14077.4	12840.7 15394.6	7.30 8.75
Blackbird	29 43 08.28	89 24 38.01	213 39 46 269 25 10	Otter Bayou	33 41 36	10722.5	11725.8	6.66
Point Fortuna	29 38 54.87	89 25 16.85	202 40 08 246 07 04	Point Chico	89 30 23	16970.1	18558.0	10.54
Fire Island	29 58 49.09	89 17 00.28	240 37 33 324 12 11	Otter Bayou	22 42 17 66 12 36	18127.5 19699.7	19823.7 21543.0	11.26 12.24
Crane Bayou	29 58 12.95	89 15 13.23	338 49 47 203 08 09	Sandfly	60 38 55	5029.2	5499.8	3.13
Picayune	29 56 39.07	89 17 00.58	214 17 15 302 25 58	Nowhere	144 13 50	9050.3	9897.1	5.62
Raccoon	29 56 45.09	89 18 25.77	226 56 18 295 12 23	Nowhere	158 50 32	6712.6	7340.7	4.17
Acorn Mound	29 53 00.08	89 13 42.69	179 53 52 107 54 55	Sandfly	23 08 37	3658.0	4218.9	2.40
Asses' Bridge	29 54 33.25	89 18 10.76	265 58 10 211 17 52	Sandfly	34 18 37	7793.3	8522.5	4.84
Mitchell's Key	29 53 58.86	89 11 03.46	110 04 53 22 18 19	Nowhere	122 27 37	6281.1	6868.8	3.90
Carrasco's house	30 01 01.09	89 15 20.96	313 25 23 33 01 49	Sandfly	46 58 22	9134.0	9988.7	5.67
Copse	29 51 15.60	89 21 51.09	243 15 37 203 46 34	Nowhere	115 14 44	834.9	9169.5	5.21
Raw Head	29 50 13.52	89 16 14.46	224 32 47 205 32 57	St. Bernard	359 53 52	3372.6	3688.1	2.10
Ropeyarn	29 48 03.34	89 15 27.19	346 21 15 88 58 37	Point Comfort	287 51 45	10749.3	11755.1	6.68
New Rigolet	29 45 25.76	89 15 02.39	201 52 29 116 15 50	Nowhere	86 00 24	7202.0	7875.9	4.48
Codfish Point	29 45 32.42	89 18 04.01	227 03 26 303 49 39	Sandfly	31 19 49	12069.9	13199.3	7.50
Gate Island	29 44 00.90	89 19 57.07	167 38 27 77 54 37	Nowhere	290 03 33	4553.8	4979.9	2.83
Croaker	29 41 46.83	89 22 55.53	132 19 35 35 40 25	Point Comfort	202 17 16	8895.7	9728.0	5.53
Mosquito Bight	29 46 40.22	89 23 06.96	235 34 07 20 33 23	Sandfly	133 25 55	2369.5	2591.2	1.47
Umbrella tree	29 48 24.31	89 25 16.13	276 35 18 353 59 24	Fire Island	213 00 59	4884.0	5341.0	3.03
Blackberry hammock	29 42 33.05	89 26 59.05	254 02 02 224 10 52	Nowhere	63 19 40	14661.7	16033.6	9.11
Catfish Point	29 40 21.25	89 25 27.56	194 31 05 353 49 01	St. Bernard	23 47 27	7123.3	7789.8	4.43
Isle au Breton Sound, La.				Point Comfort	104 34 19	5137.6	5618.3	3.19
Terre aux Bœufs	29 39 47.94	89 30 37.02	237 23 30 280 43 28	Nowhere	25 34 13	9424.3	10306.1	5.86
Black Lake	29 36 14.09	89 31 06.07	186 45 50 242 11 16	Point Chico	166 21 55	9184.3	10043.7	5.71
Battledore Island	29 29 03.11	89 23 42.65	138 03 15 172 05 01	Otter Bayou	268 55 53	8848.7	9676.7	5.50
Plaquemines	29 29 49.72	89 30 42.68	207 33 48 277 12 00	Point Comfort	21 53 25	8154.8	8917.8	5.07
Raccoon Point	29 24 20.67	89 27 07.67	150 15 01 212 24 57	Otter Bayou	226 12 54	10608.4	11601.0	6.59
Coquille	29 23 33.81	89 21 22.50	98 50 09 159 34 42	Point Comfort	47 05 53	10810.9	11822.5	6.72
Isle au Breton	29 27 16.87	89 13 28.28	61 47 01 101 13 14	Point Chico	123 51 37	7681.7	8400.5	4.77
				Otter Bayou	347 37 57	7476.5	8176.1	4.85
				Blackbird	257 52 18	7720.9	8443.4	4.80
				Blackbird	312 18 44	3725.0	4073.6	2.31
				Point Fortuna	215 39 15	6516.3	7126.0	4.05
				Otter Bayou	55 35 12	4241.7	4638.6	2.64
				Blackbird	200 32 38	6968.7	7620.7	4.33
				Otter Bayou	96 37 27	7013.4	7669.6	4.36
				Blackbird	173 59 43	9783.4	10698.8	6.08
				Blackbird	74 03 12	3942.7	4311.7	2.45
				Otter Bayou	44 13 52	13962.1	15268.5	8.68
				Blackbird	14 31 30	5312.1	5809.2	3.30
				Point Fortuna	173 49 06	2675.1	2925.4	1.66
Terre aux Bœufs	29 39 47.94	89 30 37.02	237 23 30 280 43 28	Blackbird	57 26 28	11453.4	12525.1	7.12
Black Lake	29 36 14.09	89 31 06.07	186 45 50 242 11 16	Point Fortuna	100 46 06	8763.3	9583.8	5.45
Battledore Island	29 29 03.11	89 23 42.65	138 03 15 172 05 01	Terre aux Bœufs	6 46 04	6630.3	7250.7	4.12
Plaquemines	29 29 49.72	89 30 42.68	207 33 48 277 12 00	Point Fortuna	62 14 09	10617.9	11611.4	6.80
Raccoon Point	29 24 20.67	89 27 07.67	150 15 01 212 24 57	Black Lake	317 59 36	17847.8	19517.8	11.99
Coquille	29 23 33.81	89 21 22.50	98 50 09 159 34 42	Point Fortuna	352 04 14	18394.1	20115.2	11.43
Isle au Breton	29 27 16.87	89 13 28.28	61 47 01 101 13 14	Point Fortuna	27 36 29	18936.3	20708.2	11.77
				Battledore Island	97 15 27	11404.0	12471.1	7.09
				Plaquemines	330 13 16	11670.0	12762.0	7.25
				Battledore Island	32 26 38	10302.1	11266.1	6.40
				Raccoon Point	278 47 20	9416.4	10297.5	5.85
				Battledore Island	339 33 33	10818.7	11831.0	6.72
				Coquille	241 43 08	14509.3	15867.0	9.02
				Battledore Island	281 08 12	16871.1	18449.7	10.48

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Section VIII.—Isle au Breton Sound, La.

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	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Bird Island, north.....	29 20 43.13	89 15 49.65	120 22 03 197 26 37	Coquille	300 19 20	10400.7	11373.9	6.46
				Isle au Breton	17 27 47	12706.8	13895.7	7.90
Bird Island, south	29 17 10.98	89 15 45.03	142 20 30 178 54 27	Coquille	322 17 45	14891.9	16285.4	9.25
				Bird Island, north	358 54 25	6532.5	7143.7	4.06
Jump	29 16 25.71	89 20 02.72	170 43 52 220 43 55	Coquille	350.43 13	13354.1	14603.7	8.30
				Bird Island, north	40 45 59	10461.0	11439.8	6.50
Robinson's Point	29 12 09.25	89 09 55.45	134 34 00 148 52 45	Bird Island, south	314 31 09	13242.7	14481.9	8.23
				Bird Island, north	328 49 52	18484.6	20214.2	11.49
Mississippi base, north end	29 12 08.47	89 15 16.65	176 47 05 269 49 08	Bird Island, north	356 46 49	15869.4	17354.3	9.86
				Robinson's Point.....	89 51 45	8675.7	9487.4	5.39
Bentley	29 38 19.98	89 28 55.71	217 57 19 259 38 32	Blackbird	37 59 27	11260.0	12313.9	7.00
				Point Fortuna	79 40 20	5983.3	6543.1	3.72
Mozambique	29 36 10.96	89 26 44.87	339 33 40 205 07 36	Battledore Island	159 35 10	14056.2	15371.5	8.73
				Point Fortuna	25 08 20	5573.9	6095.5	3.46
Curlew	29 32 12.56	89 28 51.02	305 03 41 34 22 09	Battledore Island	125 06 13	10147.8	11097.3	6.31
				Plaquemines.....	214 21 14	5327.2	5825.7	3.31
Julius	29 31 48.39	89 33 18.29	203 30 09 311 04 26	Black Lake	23 31 14	8920.6	9755.3	5.54
				Plaquemines	131 05 43	5559.4	6079.6	3.45
Hog Island	29 27 00.97	89 26 56.60	136 28 49 3 27 38	Plaquemines	310 26 58	8005.2	8754.3	4.97
				Raccoon Point	183 27 33	4944.2	5406.8	3.07
Quarantine, flag-staff.....	29 22 05.87	89 30 47.94	259 53 37 235 02 21	Coquille	79 58 14	15484.3	16933.2	9.62
				Raccoon Point	55 04 09	7245.8	7923.7	4.50
Fort Bayou.....	29 23 44.29	89 24 22.66	104 08 35 186 16 02	Raccoon Point	284 07 14	4587.0	5016.2	2.85
				Battledore Island	6 16 22	9874.5	10798.4	6.14
Fort St. Philip, chimney of blockhouse.	29 21 50.30	89 26 57.30	176 32 35 229 54 09	Raccoon Point	356 32 30	4637.7	5071.6	2.88
				Fort Bayou	49 55 25	5449.7	5959.6	3.39
Breton, center.....	29 28 22.25	89 09 09.10	37 24 11 73 56 20	Bird Island, north	217 20 54	17786.5	19450.8	11.05
				Isle au Breton	253 54 13	7206.8	7946.7	4.52
Breton, north.....	29 29 53.51	89 09 09.95	359 32 01 55 17 46	Breton, center	179 32 01	2809.9	3072.8	1.75
				Isle au Breton	235 15 39	8466.5	9258.7	5.26
Palmetto	29 28 02.65	89 10 22.26	33 08 07 74 18 22	Bird Island, north	213 05 27	16154.9	17666.6	10.04
				Isle au Breton	254 16 50	5206.1	5693.3	3.24
Sable Island.....	29 24 15.52	89 18 21.70	234 45 23 75 15 04	Isle au Breton	54 47 47	9680.1	10585.9	6.02
				Coquille	255 13 35	5040.5	5512.1	3.13
Oyster Bay.....	29 21 52.43	89 16 33.37	206 31 52 29 19 50	Isle au Breton	26 33 23	11165.1	12209.8	6.94
				Jump	209 18 07	11535.8	12615.2	7.17
Salt Works, chimney	29 18 11.49	89 20 35.64	238 48 18 172 44 33	Bird Island, north	58 50 38	9018.0	9861.8	5.60
				Coquille	352 44 10	10003.2	10939.2	6.22
Jamieson's Camp.....	29 21 20.27	89 20 48.90	278 02 25 313 05 21	Bird Island, north	98 04 52	8151.8	8914.6	5.00
				Bird Island, south	133 07 50	11229.7	12260.5	6.98
Point au Sable.....	29 24 10.05	89 18 17.67	18 38 17 77 23 39	Salt Works, chimney...	198 37 09	11648.9	12738.9	7.24
				Coquille	257 22 08	5106.4	5584.2	3.17
Poza	29 21 37.85	89 16 31.11	46 05 36 114 27 16	Salt Works, chimney...	226 03 36	9158.3	10015.3	5.69
				Coquille	294 24 53	8630.4	9437.9	5.36
Bird Island	29 17 12.87	89 15 51.03	103 14 29 172 27 07	Salt Works, chimney...	283 12 10	7889.6	8627.9	4.90
				Poza	352 26 47	8229.7	8999.8	5.11
Jump 2.....	29 16 28.03	89 20 01.65	163 56 16 258 26 46	Salt Works, chimney...	343 55 59	3314.7	3624.8	2.06
				Bird Island	78 28 49	6903.7	7549.6	4.29
Northeast Point	29 15 17.91	89 16 24.99	128 19 23 194 31 08	Salt Works, chimney...	308 17 20	8621.0	9427.7	5.36
				Bird Island	14 31 25	3656.0	3998.1	2.27
Head of Woods	29 14 26.54	89 17 39.63	209 47 04 231 52 19	Bird Island	29 47 57	5900.4	6452.5	3.67
				Northeast Point	51 52 55	2561.5	2801.1	1.59
Crevasse	29 12 09.66	89 15 17.06	137 35 34 174 23 33	Head of Woods.....	317 34 24	5708.1	6242.2	3.55
				Bird Island	354 23 16	9379.6	10257.2	5.83
Battledore 2.....	29 29 02.01	89 23 44.57	315 33 20 339 14 19	Point au Sable	135 36 01	12585.4	13763.0	7.82
				Coquille	159 15 29	10805.1	11816.2	6.71
Coon Pass	29 24 22.10	89 27 01.41	211 35 56 279 13 06	Battledore 2	31 37 33	10119.1	11066.0	6.29
				Coquille	99 15 52	9256.5	10128.6	5.75
Caranero	29 20 20.73	89 18 01.65	176 30 03 137 40 25	Point au Sable	356 29 55	7073.0	7734.8	4.39
				Coquille	317 38 46	8011.8	8794.3	5.00

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Donaldson's Camp.....	29 21 20.87	89 20 49.33	218 07 43 167 40 20	Point au Sable..... Coquille.....	38 08 57 347 40 04	6621.9 4189.3	7244.5 4581.3	4.11 2.60
Tiger Point.....	29 20 46.43	89 23 53.59	218 19 19 311 45 28	Coquille..... Salt Works, chimney....	38 20 33 131 47 05	6569.0 7160.7	7183.6 7830.8	4.08 4.45
Fort Jackson, flag-staff, 1868....	29 21 31.53	89 26 24.03	169 08 18 245 08 06	Coon Pass..... Coquille.....	349 08 00 65 10 34	5346.9 8959.9	5847.2 9798.2	3.32 5.57
Fort St. Philip, flag-staff, 1868....	29 21 52.74	89 26 55.96	178 10 21 250 53 17	Coon Pass..... Coquille.....	358 10 18 70 56 01	4600.5 9514.7	5030.9 10404.9	2.86 5.91
Fort Bayou 2.....	29 23 45.44	89 24 20.37	185 39 05 104 34 08	Battledore 2..... Coon Pass.....	5 39 23 284 33 39	9793.8 4485.5	10710.2 4903.2	6.09 2.79
Reef Island.....	29 23 50.97	89 29 26.66	214 38 35 256 14 23	Hog Island..... Coon Pass.....	34 39 49 76 15 34	7112.4 4031.3	7777.9 4408.5	4.42 2.50
Quarantine store-house, south gable.	29 22 04.86	89 30 39.33	213 20 57 234 16 02	Hog Island..... Coon Pass.....	33 22 46 54 17 49	10916.5 7236.9	11937.9 7914.0	6.78 4.50
Buras Church.....	29 21 44.19	89 31 11.20	221 44 18 215 06 42	Battledore 2..... Hog Island.....	41 47 57 35 08 47	18072.4 11925.6	19763.4 13041.5	11.23 7.41
California.....	29 28 05.93	89 29 24.51	259 17 59 330 45 30	Battledore 2..... Coon Pass.....	79 20 46 150 46 41	9318.7 7896.7	10190.6 8635.6	5.79 4.91
Pelican.....	29 29 49.97	89 30 43.04	277 26 10 329 22 35	Battledore 2..... Coon Pass.....	97 29 36 149 24 24	11367.4 11728.6	12431.0 12826.0	7.06 7.29
Little Battledore.....	29 30 07.06	89 25 56.08	15 53 36 299 28 40	Hog Island..... Battledore 2.....	195 53 06 119 29 45	5955.6 4069.1	6512.8 4449.9	3.70 2.53
Long Point.....	29 31 24.98	89 29 34.05	32 25 21 295 02 24	Pelican..... Battledore 2.....	212 24 47 115 05 16	3465.0 10300.3	3789.2 11362.5	2.15 6.46
Mangrove Point.....	29 28 08.76	89 31 59.45	213 26 51 271 11 11	Pelican..... California.....	33 27 29 91 12 28	3734.4 4175.0	4083.8 4565.7	2.32 2.59
Harris' Camp.....	29 28 36.84	89 33 09.15	240 13 09 278 55 19	Pelican..... California.....	60 14 21 98 57 10	4534.2 6125.7	4958.5 6698.8	2.82 3.81
Kelly's Camp.....	29 26 11.11	89 31 29.45	258 11 00 223 36 10	Hog Island..... California.....	78 13 14 43 37 12	7512.0 4882.3	8214.9 5339.1	4.67 3.03
Bayou la Moque.....	28 27 07.40	89 31 22.95	152 30 06 192 07 24	Mangrove Point..... Pelican.....	332 29 48 12 07 44	2130.0 5119.3	2329.3 5598.3	1.32 3.18
Drake.....	29 32 20.34	89 32 40.05	288 46 58 325 45 02	Long Point..... Pelican.....	108 48 30 145 46 00	5289.8 5600.0	5784.7 6124.0	3.29 3.48
Peter Winns' hut.....	29 31 38.14	89 34 06.35	240 46 44 301 17 45	Drake..... Pelican.....	60 47 27 121 19 25	2661.9 6408.2	2911.0 7007.8	1.65 3.98
Black.....	29 36 14.04	89 31 05.89	144 28 14 19 24 33	Long Point..... Drake.....	164 28 59 199 23 47	9236.2 7628.1	10100.4 8341.9	5.74 4.74
Morgan.....	29 34 56.27	89 33 59.39	242 50 09 336 00 44	Black..... Drake.....	62 51 35 156 01 23	5246.7 5254.1	5737.6 5745.7	3.26 3.26
Little Roost.....	29 35 06.54	89 26 02.26	39 54 10 104 17 30	Long Point..... Black.....	219 52 26 284 15 00	8889.9 8430.0	9721.7 9218.8	5.52 5.24
Captain.....	29 33 44.31	89 29 44.08	61 23 23 247 00 26	Drake..... Little Roost.....	241 21 56 67 02 15	5396.5 6484.2	5901.4 7090.9	3.35 4.03
Bamboo.....	29 39 06.18	89 29 06.45	326 07 12 31 13 16	Little Roost..... Black.....	146 08 43 211 12 17	8889.9 6201.2	9721.7 6781.4	5.52 3.85
Gardener's Point.....	29 38 56.56	89 25 18.05	61 52 14 92 46 35	Black..... Bamboo.....	241 49 22 272 44 42	10612.8 6149.2	11605.9 6724.6	6.59 3.82
Bentley.....	29 38 19.98	89 28 55.71	168 31 20 259 05 51	Bamboo..... Gardener's Point.....	348 31 15 79 07 39	1451.1 5961.0	1586.9 6518.6	0.90 3.70
Terrapin.....	29 37 52.32	89 26 16.31	116 25 48 218 22 20	Bamboo..... Gardener's Point.....	296 24 24 38 22 49	5110.3 2522.5	5588.4 2758.5	3.18 1.57
Coon's Nest.....	29 43 29.13	89 24 21.59	10 15 51 43 25 56	Gardener's Point..... Bamboo.....	190 15 23 223 23 35	8527.9 11144.2	9325.8 12187.0	5.30 6.92
Grace Point.....	29 41 02.67	89 22 01.69	53 41 40 140 10 51	Gardener's Point..... Coon's Nest.....	233 40 02 320 09 41	6554.9 5871.6	7168.3 6421.0	4.07 3.65
Fiddler.....	29 40 57.38	89 24 07.95	26 53 49 175 30 39	Gardener's Point..... Coon's Nest.....	206 53 14 355 30 32	4170.3 4686.6	4560.5 5125.1	2.59 2.91
Dragon Fly.....	29 43 54.95	89 19 56.47	32 24 40 83 39 13	Grace Point..... Coon's Nest.....	212 23 38 263 37 02	6282.1 7169.7	6869.9 7840.6	3.90 4.46

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Codfish Point	29 45 32.42	89 18 04.01	45 12 06 134 04 20	Dragon Fly	225 11 10	4258.6	4657.1	2.65
				Otter Bayou	314 02 54	6452.8	7056.6	4.01
Chiquito	29 43 16.44	89 14 13.73	97 21 29 124 06 01	Dragon Fly	277 18 39	9285.9	10154.8	5.77
				Codfish Point	304 04 07	7470.4	8169.4	4.64
Trimmed tree	29 46 16.30	89 18 12.35	125 24 30 350 35 31	Otter Bayou	305 23 08	5413.5	5920.0	3.36
				Codfish Point	170 35 35	1369.9	1498.1	0.85
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Head of Passes, astronomical station.	29 08 37.58	89 14 08.17						
Mississippi base, north end	29 12 08.47	89 15 16.65	344 05 18	Head of Passes, astronomical station.	164 05 51	6749.4	7381.0	4.19
Mississippi base, south end	29 09 25.79	89 13 19.81	41 22 19 147 46 49	Head of Passes, astronomical station.	221 21 56	1977.6	2162.6	1.23
				North base	327 45 52	5918.7	6472.5	3.68
Robinson's Point	29 12 09.25	89 09 55.45	47 40 55 89 51 39	South base	227 39 16	7471.1	8170.2	4.64
				North base	269 49 03	8677.5	9489.4	5.39
Head of Southeast Pass	29 09 44.51	89 09 15.42	85 01 40 166 22 56	South base	264 59 41	6628.9	7249.1	4.12
				Robinson's Point	346 22 36	4563.6	5012.4	2.85
Bird Island, south	29 17 10.98	89 15 45.03	314 31 13 355 17 35	Robinson's Point	134 34 04	13246.2	14485.7	8.23
				North base	175 17 49	9347.5	10222.1	5.81
Osgood	29 11 18.94	89 04 20.79	69 57 27 99 44 23	Head of Southeast Pass.	249 55 03	8474.4	9267.3	5.27
				Robinson's Point	279 41 40	9169.4	10027.4	5.70
Balize	29 07 18.10	89 05 28.73	126 21 24 193 54 09	Head of Southeast Pass.	306 19 34	7606.0	8317.7	4.73
				Osgood	13 54 42	7638.3	8353.0	4.75
Northeast Pass light	29 08 35.99	89 02 14.77	65 26 01 145 50 28	Balize	245 24 27	5764.8	6304.2	3.58
				Osgood	325 49 27	6063.0	6630.3	3.77
Pass à Loutre light	29 11 32.01	89 01 30.47	39 29 39 12 27 38	Balize	219 27 43	10126.8	11074.3	6.29
				Northeast Pass light	192 27 16	5549.3	6068.6	3.45
Blind Bay, 1857	29 09 08.05	89 00 28.75	71 00 07 159 22 59	Northeast Pass light	250 59 15	3030.5	3314.0	1.88
				Pass à Loutre light	339 22 29	4735.1	5178.2	2.94
South Mud Flat	29 10 53.67	89 00 42.35	30 30 49 132 14 15	Northeast Pass light	210 30 04	4919.5	5379.9	3.06
				Pass à Loutre light	312 13 52	1755.8	1920.0	1.09
North Mud Flat	29 11 28.29	89 00 11.96	32 02 19 93 03 32	Northeast Pass light	212 01 19	6256.7	6842.1	3.89
				Pass à Loutre light	273 04 54	2123.9	2322.7	1.32
Southeast Pass, 1857	29 04 45.61	89 02 40.08	135 50 40 185 30 27	Balize	315 49 18	6544.5	7156.8	4.07
				Northeast Pass light	5 30 39	7125.2	7791.9	4.43
Mast in wreck	29 05 02.18	89 01 30.09	122 58 54 169 36 17	Balize	302 56 58	7690.0	8409.6	4.78
				Northeast Pass light	349 35 55	6692.2	7318.4	4.16
Northeast Pass	29 07 56.31	89 01 39.66	79 15 32 142 09 29	Balize	259 13 41	6302.6	6892.3	3.92
				Northeast Pass light	322 09 12	1546.9	1691.6	0.96
South Pass light	29 01 00.25	89 09 03.36	206 30 23 218 11 39	Balize	26 32 07	13000.1	14216.5	8.08
				Northeast Pass light	38 14 58	17858.5	19529.5	11.10
Wood-yard	29 09 35.94	89 10 33.24	192 13 46 262 50 25	Robinson's Point	12 14 04	4828.3	5280.1	3.00
				Head of Southeast Pass.	82 51 03	2119.3	2317.6	1.32
Mangrove Point	29 10 43.71	89 12 16.17	290 26 52 118 09 23	Head of Southeast Pass.	110 28 20	5212.8	5700.6	3.24
				North base	298 07 55	5529.0	6046.3	3.44
Revenue station	29 11 13.76	89 04 40.93	69 41 11 10 05 49	Head of Southeast Pass.	249 38 57	7008.8	8648.8	4.91
				Balize	190 05 26	7369.4	8059.0	4.58
Fisherman's house, chimney, or Bayou Cheval.	29 10 43.53	89 08 22.16	68 23 06 136 20 15	Head of Southeast Pass.	218 22 40	2317.7	2534.5	1.44
				Robinson's Point	316 19 29	3646.8	3988.0	2.27
Jump	29 16 25.71	89 20 02.72	258 39 07 315 41 44	Bird Island, south	78 41 13	7095.3	7759.2	4.41
				North base	135 44 04	11066.1	12101.6	6.88
West Point	29 08 16.96	89 16 48.16	199 07 53 249 21 47	North base	19 08 38	7542.7	8248.5	4.69
				South base	69 23 29	6016.2	6579.2	3.74
West shore	29 11 16.42	89 15 39.24	200 52 25 312 06 26	North base	20 52 36	1713.4	1873.7	1.06
				South base	132 07 34	5078.6	5553.8	3.16
Cubitt	29 09 51.07	89 13 37.96	327 46 40 147 46 40	South base	147 46 49	920.2	1006.3	0.57
				North base	327 45 52	5466.2	5966.2	3.11
Bayou Grande	29 04 56.73	89 12 02.91	247 45 37 165 55 04	Balize	67 48 49	11511.5	12588.6	7.15
				South base	345 54 27	8540.2	9339.3	5.31

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Telegraph station	29 09 54.14	89 14 57.97	288 12 16 330 16 11	South base..... Head of Passes, astro- nomical station.	108 13 04 150 16 35	2792.4 2713.9	3053.7 2967.9	1.74 1.69
Square-roofed house.....	29 04 24.17	89 04 34.48	164 40 53 205 57 55	Balize..... Northeast Pass light....	344 40 27 25 59 03	5551.7 8623.2	6071.2 9430.1	3.45 5.36
Southeast Pass, 1859.....	29 04 41.59	89 02 38.57	136 20 05 185 05 34	Balize..... Northeast Pass light....	316 18 43 5 05 46	6661.9 7244.7	7285.3 7922.5	4.14 4.50
Head of Passes light, 1859.....	29 08 36.58	89 14 07.74	164 04 31 220 32 07	North base..... South base.....	344 03 57 40 32 30	6782.0 1993.2	7416.6 2179.7	4.21 1.24
Osgood's observatory.....	29 11 19.12	89 04 21.50	13 45 42 69 52 42	Balize..... Head of Southeast Pass.	193 45 09 249 50 19	7638.9 8458.1	8353.6 9249.6	4.75 5.26
Robinson, east.....	29 12 29.99	89 08 51.06	286 39 46 7 21 49	Osgood's observatory.... Head of Southeast Pass.	106 41 57 187 21 37	7600.9 5136.6	8312.1 5617.2	4.72 3.19
Parry O'Neil.	29 12 33.35	89 05 47.51	314 21 10 47 14 00	Osgood..... Head of Southeast Pass.	134 21 52 227 12 19	3276.1 7652.6	3582.7 8368.6	2.04 4.76
Myer's Bayou	29 12 17.33	89 03 14.30	296 26 34 44 58 52	Pass à Loutre light Osgood.....	116 27 25 224 58 20	3132.6 2541.1	3425.7 2778.9	1.95 1.58
Middle Ground.....	29 12 07.44	89 01 29.74	1 02 01 72 06 17	Pass à Loutre light Osgood.....	181 02 01 252 04 54	1091.0 4855.8	1193.1 5310.1	0.68 3.02
John's Island.....	29 04 31.68	89 04 41.46	165 59 46 207 47 30	Balize..... Northeast Pass light....	345 59 23 27 48 41	5280.2 8502.5	5774.2 9298.0	3.28 5.28
Blind Bay, 1859.....	29 08 49.95	89 03 44.92	280 00 08 44 46 40	Northeast Pass light.... Balize.....	100 00 52 224 45 50	2473.7 3983.4	2705.1 4356.1	1.54 2.47
Magazine Point	29 05 06.63	89 05 28.57	179 56 24 279 30 23	Balize..... Southeast Pass, 1859	359 56 24 99 31 46	4047.4 4661.4	4426.1 5097.5	2.51 2.90
A south.....	29 10 43.22	89 00 04.78	41 53 38 122 58 53	Northeast Pass light.... Pass à Loutre light.....	221 52 35 302 58 11	5261.1 2759.3	5753.4 3017.5	3.27 1.71
A north.....	29 11 31.04	88 59 59.00	6 03 23 90 41 36	A south..... Pass à Loutre light.....	186 03 20 270 40 51	1480.5 2471.1	1619.0 2702.3	0.92 1.54
B north	29 11 34.96	89 00 04.95	359 50 30 87 45 06	A south..... Pass à Loutre light.....	179 50 30 267 44 24	1592.8 2312.0	1741.9 2528.3	0.99 1.44
Pilot stake	29 08 58.69	88 59 44.86	170 30 13 175 20 28	A south..... A north.....	350 30 03 355 20 21	3262.2 4760.7	3567.4 5206.2	2.03 2.96
B south	29 10 31.61	89 01 14.76	167 08 25 259 17 02	Pass à Loutre light..... A south.....	347 08 17 79 17 36	1907.3 1924.0	2085.8 2104.1	1.19 1.20
C south.....	29 09 14.87	89 00 55.46	167 22 26 206 43 00	Pass à Loutre light..... A south.....	347 22 09 26 43 25	4326.6 3045.3	4731.4 3330.2	2.69 1.89
D south	29 10 52.00	89 00 07.57	118 49 00 190 54 12	Pass à Loutre light..... A north.....	298 48 20 10 54 16	2555.8 1224.2	2794.9 1338.8	1.59 0.76
E south	29 10 15.00	89 00 37.90	149 04 38 225 50 35	Pass à Loutre light..... A south.....	329 04 12 45 50 51	2763.4 1247.1	3021.9 1363.8	1.72 0.78
F south	29 10 52.86	89 00 26.37	124 50 29 212 09 46	Pass à Loutre light..... A north.....	304 49 58 32 09 59	2109.8 1388.7	2307.2 1518.6	1.31 0.86
Pass à Loutre 1.....	29 10 24.76	89 07 08.25	334 54 44 70 10 47	Balize..... Head of Southeast Pass.	154 55 33 250 09 45	6344.6 3652.8	6938.2 3994.6	3.94 2.27
Pass à Loutre 2.....	29 10 31.13	89 06 11.62	348 57 29 73 53 36	Balize..... Head of Southeast Pass.	168 57 50 253 52 06	6054.5 5169.2	6621.0 5652.9	3.76 3.21
Pass à Loutre 3.....	29 10 55.08	89 05 30.41	359 36 35 70 21 10	Balize..... Head of Southeast Pass.	179 36 36 250 19 20	6679.7 6455.8	7304.7 7059.8	4.15 4.01
Pass à Loutre 4.....	29 11 13.98	89 02 23.61	34 34 29 92 46 19	Balize..... Osgood.....	214 32 59 272 45 22	8817.8 3169.2	9642.9 3463.8	5.48 1.97
Pass à Loutre 5.....	29 11 04.47	89 00 54.22	130 52 37 241 15 31	Pass à Loutre light..... A north.....	310 52 19 61 15 58	1295.1 1701.2	1416.3 1860.4	0.81 1.06
Scott's house.....	29 05 15.67	89 16 12.99	211 17 13 274 55 12	South base..... Bayou Grande	31 18 37 94 57 14	9011.4 6787.6	9854.6 7422.7	5.60 4.22
Willows.....	29 03 03.65	89 17 46.80	211 57 53 249 27 36	Scott's house..... Bayou Grande	31 58 39 69 30 23	4791.5 9930.7	5239.8 10859.9	2.98 6.17
Grand Pass.....	29 00 22.82	89 12 28.82	119 56 29 184 45 01	Willows	299 53 55 4 45 14	9926.1 8460.7	10854.9 9252.4	6.17 5.26

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Pilot's Lookout.....	28 59 53.88	89 19 49.95	210 37 47 265 42 10	Scott's house..... Grand Pass.....	30 39 32 85 45 44	11514.7 11971.3	12592.1 13091.4	7.15 7.44
Southwest Pass light.....	28 58 52.86	89 23 20.30	220 07 11 223 46 46	Scott's house..... Willows.....	40 10 09 43 48 59	15417.0 10696.2	16859.6 11697.1	9.58 6.65
Telegraph pole, 1866.....	29 09 43.00	89 14 55.49	221 34 10 14 17 16	South base..... Scott's house.....	101 34 57 194 16 38	2639.2 8492.0	2886.2 9286.6	1.64 5.28
Scott's Point.....	29 06 01.82	89 19 24.28	225 20 42 334 19 28	Scott's house..... Willows.....	105 22 15 154 20 15	5363.8 6085.9	5865.7 6655.4	3.33 3.78
Fisherman's house, chimney....	29 06 39.15	89 15 05.91	35 13 16 302 30 07	Scott's house..... Bayou Grande.....	215 12 43 122 31 36	3145.4 5367.5	3439.7 6416.5	1.95 3.65
Double Bayou.....	29 03 42.57	89 19 32.35	241 59 23 292 45 59	Scott's house..... Willows.....	62 01 00 112 46 50	6105.8 3096.1	6677.1 3385.8	3.79 1.92
Thirty-second telegraph pole....	29 01 41.42	89 19 18.42	217 14 13 242 56 03	Scott's house..... Bayou Grande.....	37 15 43 62 59 35	8256.2 13225.4	9061.6 14462.9	5.15 8.22
Custom-house.....	29 00 27.82	89 19 30.27	270 44 42 27 01 06	Grand Pass..... Pilot's Lookout.....	90 48 06 207 00 56	11405.9 1172.8	12473.2 1282.6	7.09 0.73
Alex. Pitcairn's chimney.....	29 00 34.57	89 20 09.63	336 57 32 48 30 33	Pilot's Lookout..... Southwest Pass light....	156 57 41 228 29 30	1361.3 4725.4	1488.6 5167.5	0.85 2.94
Fred. Martin's house, east gable.	29 00 18.20	89 20 25.66	307 46 01 49 46 36	Pilot's Lookout..... Southwest Pass light....	127 46 18 229 45 40	1222.6 4067.7	1337.0 4448.3	0.76 2.53
Lookout telegraph station.....	28 59 48.91	89 20 55.52	265 04 31 53 05 34	Pilot's Lookout..... Southwest Pass light....	85 05 03 233 04 53	1781.3 2873.1	1948.0 3141.9	1.11 1.79
East Point.....	28 58 20.51	89 20 49.25	111 59 17 209 10 47	Southwest Pass light.... Pilot's Lookout.....	291 58 34 29 11 15	2660.6 3292.2	2909.6 3600.2	1.65 2.05
East Mud Lump.....	28 55 59.29	89 21 57.63	173 25 25 205 34 20	Southwest Pass light.... Pilot's Lookout.....	353 25 14 25 35 22	5378.3 8006.1	5881.6 8755.3	3.34 4.97
Barber-pole buoy.....	28 56 10.85	89 23 50.38	223 27 24 206 01 48	Pilot's Lookout..... Southwest Pass light....	43 29 20 26 02 32	9460.6 5550.4	10345.9 6069.7	5.88 3.45
<i>Atchafalaya Bay.</i>								
Deer Island.....	29 28 46.70	91 15 03.00		Deer Island.....	26 37 46	18451.4	20177.9	11.46
Point au Fer light.....	29 19 50.85	91 20 09.57	206 35 16	Deer Island..... Point au Fer light.....	110 25 44 167 11 02	13998.1 21922.8	15307.9 23974.2	8.70 13.62
Belle Isle.....	29 31 25.16	91 23 10.18	290 21 44 347 09 33	Point au Fer light..... Belle Isle.....	128 45 24 51 01 06	20141.7 13944.8	22026.4 15249.6	12.51 8.66
Ballast Ground 2.....	29 26 40.06	91 29 52.45	308 40 38 230 57 48	Belle Isle..... Ballast Ground 2.....	104 38 33 202 24 41	6737.6 11333.0	7357.1 12393.4	4.18 7.04
Marshy shore.....	29 32 20.34	91 27 11.96	284 36 34 22 26 00	Ballast Ground 2..... Marshy shore.....	145 04 17 73 04 15	9211.9 10030.9	10073.9 10969.5	5.72 6.23
Point Chevreuil.....	29 30 45.33	91 33 08.32	325 02 40 253 01 19	Marshy shore..... Point Chevreuil.....	45 52 25 327 11 37	9843.7 4676.4	10764.7 5114.0	6.12 2.91
Middle shoal.....	29 28 37.65	91 31 34.26	225 50 16 147 12 23	Point Chevreuil..... Middle shoal.....	258 10 09 190 35 13	3474.2 4723.0	3799.3 5164.9	2.16 2.93
East base.....	29 31 08.45	91 31 02.04	78 11 11 10 35 29	Deer Island..... Point au Fer light.....	353 42 51 245 13 13	12144.0 10569.9	13280.3 11558.9	7.55 6.57
Four League Bay.....	29 22 14.61	91 14 13.69	173 43 15 65 16 07	Point au Fer light..... Four League Bay.....	279 06 28 34 19 25	6005.3 6511.6	6567.2 7120.8	3.73 4.05
Point Necessity.....	29 19 19.92	91 16 20.79	99 08 16 214 18 18	Point au Fer light..... Point Necessity.....	337 23 45 41 14 09	5669.3 5693.2	6199.8 6225.9	3.52 3.54
South base.....	29 17 00.83	91 18 48.83	157 24 24 221 13 01	Point au Fer light..... South base.....	346 00 02 137 17 41	4059.1 1766.2	4439.0 1931.5	2.52 1.10
Middle base.....	29 17 42.95	91 19 33.20	166 00 20 317 17 19	Deer Island..... Belle Isle.....	69 50 29 5 09 32	14951.7 10081.0	16350.8 11024.3	9.29 6.26
Center signal 1.....	29 25 59.04	91 23 43.82	249 46 13 185 09 16	Ballast Ground 2..... Belle Isle.....	277 03 31 5 20 29	9980.9 10052.0	10914.8 10992.6	6.90 6.25
Center signal 2.....	29 26 00.07	91 23 44.90	97 06 32 185 20 12	Belle Isle..... Point au Fer light.....	51 00 05 128 46 11	13939.3 20136.6	15243.6 22020.8	8.66 12.51
Ballast Ground 1.....	29 26 40.07	91 29 52.20	230 56 48 308 41 25	Deer Island..... Point au Fer light.....	68 08 09 202 01 25	2038.7 16978.0	2229.4 18566.6	1.27 10.55
Atchafalaya west.....	29 28 22.03	91 16 13.24	248 07 34 22 03 21					

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Section VIII.—Atchafalaya Bay, La.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Rack azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Plum Island	29 26 48.97	91 14 31.06	166 38 50 136 09 09	Deer Island	346 38 34	3725.3	4073.9	2.31
				Atchafalaya west	316 08 19	3973.3	4345.1	2.47
Shell Key	29 22 36.72	91 24 47.63	304 14 04 195 26 02	Point au Fer light	124 16 20	9073.4	9922.4	5.64
				Center signal 1	15 26 33	6462.0	7066.7	4.02
East Bay	29 29 37.77	91 20 20.44	125 53 28 280 23 50	Belle Isle	305 51 56	5641.5	6169.3	3.51
				Deer Island	100 26 26	8693.9	9507.4	5.40
Schooner Reef	29 25 49.96	91 34 58.87	259 24 03 198 07 40	Ballast Ground 2	79 26 34	8400.3	9186.3	5.22
				Point Chevreuil	18 08 34	9568.7	10464.0	5.95
Bird Key	29 30 14.40	91 37 14.36	261 48 19 335 50 32	Point Chevreuil	81 50 20	6693.9	7320.3	4.16
				Schooner Reef	155 51 39	8922.0	9756.8	5.54
Rabbit Island	29 30 16.45	91 34 54.91	252 47 02 299 21 32	Point Chevreuil	72 47 55	3005.0	3286.2	1.87
				Middle Shoal	119 23 11	6201.5	6781.7	3.85
Southwest Reef	29 28 18.93	91 37 45.17	315 39 17 193 08 23	Schooner Reef	135 40 39	6411.9	7011.9	3.93
				Bird Key	13 08 38	3650.5	3992.0	2.27
Beacon	29 23 33.14	91 29 11.37	169 06 38 114 14 12	Ballast Ground 2	349 06 18	5860.0	6408.3	3.64
				Schooner Reef	294 11 21	10270.6	11231.7	6.38
Lightship, 1856	29 23 12.26	91 27 57.69	154 12 07 113 10 54	Ballast Ground 2	334 11 11	7106.1	7771.0	4.42
				Schooner Reef	293 07 27	12348.1	13503.5	7.67
Oyster Reef, A	29 23 04.41	91 23 49.81	181 43 14 315 04 40	Center signal 1	1 43 17	5378.8	5882.1	3.34
				Point au Fer light	135 06 28	8413.6	9200.8	5.23
Barrel stake 1	29 25 16.25	91 29 46.67	176 32 24 97 03 09	Ballast Ground 2	356 32 21	2584.7	2826.5	1.61
				Schooner Reef	277 00 36	8478.3	9271.6	5.27
Barrel stake, Anne Channel	29 23 47.31	91 26 09.89	224 08 36 314 24 35	Center signal 1	44 09 48	5652.4	6181.3	3.51
				Shell Key	134 25 15	3105.2	3395.8	1.93
Lightship, 1855	29 24 21.80	91 29 42.03	298 19 24 252 44 55	Point au Fer light	118 24 05	17553.0	19195.5	10.91
				Center signal 1	72 47 51	10099.0	11044.0	6.27
<i>Côte Blanche Bay.</i>								
Côte Blanche, red chimney	29 34 08.50	91 32 07.69	14 37 39 48 54 05	Point Chevreuil	194 37 09	6464.6	7069.5	4.02
				Bird Key	228 51 34	10959.5	11985.0	6.81
Bird Key 2	29 30 14.50	91 37 15.17	287 57 50 261 51 20	Middle Shoal	108 00 38	9654.5	10557.8	6.00
				Point Chevreuil	81 53 22	6714.9	7343.3	4.17
Point No Point	29 37 27.04	91 36 35.13	335 45 22 4 37 44	Point Chevreuil	155 47 04	13562.5	14831.5	8.43
				Bird Key 2	184 37 24	13360.6	14610.8	8.30
Marsh Island north	29 34 49.63	91 40 56.72	324 50 03 235 25 50	Bird Key 2	144 51 52	10359.9	11329.3	6.44
				Point No Point	55 28 00	8545.4	9345.0	5.31
Malony's Point	29 37 47.08	91 38 44.44	280 03 07 33 05 20	Point No Point	100 04 11	3532.6	3863.3	2.19
				Marsh Island north	213 04 15	6520.5	7130.6	4.05
Gordy	29 37 21.26	91 32 08.67	7 30 23 91 26 27	Point Chevreuil	187 29 54	12295.0	13445.5	7.64
				Point No Point	271 24 16	7169.6	7840.5	4.46
Burns	29 34 37.16	91 31 26.12	21 05 09 122 11 39	Point Chevreuil	201 04 19	7649.4	8365.2	4.75
				Point No Point	302 09 06	9822.2	10741.3	6.10
Rabbit Island north	29 30 30.11	91 35 07.91	82 01 21 330 15 02	Bird Key 2	262 00 18	3460.9	3784.7	2.15
				Rabbit Island	140 15 08	547.0	598.2	0.34
Stephens	29 25 12.77	91 33 55.38	149 55 21 170 16 07	Bird Key 2	329 53 43	10760.9	11767.8	6.69
				Rabbit Island	350 15 38	9508.0	10397.6	5.91
Marsh Island east	29 32 07.41	91 43 01.06	290 26 40 213 48 53	Bird Key 2	110 29 31	9941.0	10871.2	6.18
				Marsh Island north	33 49 54	6011.8	6574.4	3.74
Mosquito	29 35 29.10	91 44 51.98	246 43 27 280 51 07	Malony's Point	66 46 29	10761.5	11768.4	6.69
				Marsh Island north	100 53 03	6445.9	7049.1	4.00
Lake Point	29 34 16.08	91 42 26.82	246 55 16 119 55 49	Marsh Island north	66 56 00	2635.1	2881.7	1.64
				Mosquito	299 54 37	4507.0	4928.8	2.80
Dry Shoal	29 35 42.45	91 43 28.53	243 19 10 291 41 57	Malony's Point	63 21 30	8551.6	9351.7	5.31
				Marsh Island north	111 43 12	4396.5	4807.9	2.73
Shell Key	29 35 38.09	91 43 19.01	241 42 53 291 16 53	Malony's Point	61 45 09	8386.3	9171.0	5.21
				Marsh Island north	111 18 03	4108.9	4493.3	2.55
Côte Blanche	29 44 07.71	91 41 51.29	336 47 10 16 56 15	Malony's Point	156 48 42	12749.5	13942.5	7.92
				Mosquito	196 54 45	16689.4	18251.0	10.37
Bayou Franklin	29 44 19.39	91 37 05.61	12 24 48 87 20 14	Malony's Point	192 23 59	12366.9	13524.0	7.69
				Côte Blanche	267 17 52	7684.1	8403.1	4.77
Main shore 2	29 41 51.10	91 36 36.04	24 41 28 116 25 22	Malony's Point	204 40 24	8268.1	9041.8	5.14
				Côte Blanche	296 22 46	9458.4	10343.4	5.68

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Section VIII.—Côte Blanche Bay.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Main shore 1	29 40 39.29	91 36 42.62	127 44 31 124 34 19	Côte Blanche	307 41 58	10488.0	11469.3	6.52
Sugar-house, small white chimney.	29 44 55.24	91 41 36.00	340 42 23 16 50 04	Main shore 2	4 34 22	2218.0	2425.5	1.38
Sugar-house, red chimney	29 44 54.95	91 41 35.43	340 45 14 16 53 19	Malony's Point	160 43 48	13965.1	15271.8	8.68
Tall white chimney	29 44 54.62	91 41 34.12	340 52 36 17 00 15	Mosquito	196 48 27	18209.0	19912.8	11.31
Dwelling-house, chimney	29 44 25.87	91 42 03.59	336 25 34 15 19 59	Malony's Point	160 46 39	13951.8	15257.3	8.67
Baker	29 43 56.69	91 46 45.81	267 31 28 348 54 36	Mosquito	196 51 42	18205.1	19908.6	11.31
Beverly	29 37 29.57	91 49 07.40	223 41 45 298 20 18	Malony's Point	160 54 00	13930.5	15233.9	8.66
Dead cypress	29 41 45.48	91 51 05.26	338 04 50 253 34 18	Mosquito	196 58 37	18205.4	19908.9	11.31
Catesby	29 36 33.50	91 46 54.86	144 58 42 210 15 15	Malony's Point	156 27 13	13393.7	14646.9	8.32
Water station	29 41 04.23	91 47 00.18	184 09 31 235 44 45	Mosquito	195 18 36	17135.2	18738.6	10.65
Oak tree	29 44 55.08	91 41 58.56	76 54 30 352 21 48	Côte Blanche	87 33 54	7921.1	8662.3	4.92
Point Gracious	29 38 34.93	91 52 59.79	287 49 46 207 41 09	Mosquito	163 55 32	15924.1	17414.1	9.89
Needle Point	29 38 09.57	91 50 37.87	290 50 06 173 40 51	Côte Blanche	43 45 21	16962.3	18549.4	10.54
Sallie Island	29 39 26.48	91 51 15.67	316 12 27 183 44 27	Mosquito	118 22 24	7208.7	8539.3	4.85
Station B	29 36 29.99	91 48 18.70	155 15 15 144 28 29	Beverly	158 05 48	8492.5	9287.1	5.28
<i>Isle au Breton Sound, eastern side.</i>				Côte Blanche	73 38 52	15518.4	16970.5	9.64
Breton	29 27 56.42	89 11 46.34	33 23 17 56 34 06	Dead cypress	324 56 38	11728.1	12825.5	7.29
Breton Break	29 28 42.66	89 08 48.97	43 38 06 73 25 15	Côte Blanche	30 17 45	16189.5	17704.4	10.06
North Point	29 29 54.16	89 09 18.89	339 53 29 47 37 34	Baker	4 09 38	5323.6	5821.7	3.31
Date	29 28 02.62	89 10 22.31	85 11 03 206 26 39	Côte Blanche	55 47 18	10041.4	10980.9	6.24
Myth	29 35 04.35	89 00 20.87	49 22 22 56 38 20	Baker	256 52 07	7924.4	8665.9	4.92
Levee	29 36 02.12	88 58 50.02	53 57 59	Côte Blanche	172 21 52	1471.3	1608.9	0.91
Turtle	29 37 08.13	88 59 26.43	21 01 39 334 15 53	Beverly	107 51 41	6566.3	7180.7	4.08
Lagoon	29 37 26.23	88 57 10.21	81 21 49 46 02 47	Dead cypress	27 42 06	6625.8	7245.7	4.12
Curlew	29 38 03.42	88 57 23.97	31 47 53 342 04 51	Beverly	116 50 51	2727.3	2982.5	1.69
Camp	29 38 51.13	88 55 43.46	43 58 36 61 29 07	Dead cypress	353 40 37	1688.2	1731.0	4.16
Sand Reef	29 39 51.96	88 55 18.10	45 22 41 20 01 02	Beverly	136 13 30	4985.6	5432.1	3.10
Stake Island	29 40 50.55	88 53 54.25	51 20 12 38 37 17	Dead cypress	3 44 32	4288.8	4690.1	2.66
				Beverly	335 13 53	10696.2	11697.1	6.65
					324 28 05	2254.3	2465.2	1.40
				Poza	213 20 57	13955.3	15261.1	8.67
				Point au Sable	236 30 54	12640.6	13823.4	7.85
				Poza	223 34 19	18060.8	19750.8	11.22
				Breton	253 23 48	4985.8	5452.3	3.10
				Breton Break	159 53 44	2344.0	2563.3	1.46
				Breton	227 36 21	5377.3	5880.5	3.34
				Breton	265 10 22	2272.4	2485.0	1.41
				North Point	26 27 30	3835.9	4194.9	2.48
				Breton Break	229 18 12	18034.0	19721.5	11.21
				North Point	236 33 55	17349.0	18972.3	10.78
				Myth	233 57 14	3023.1	3306.0	1.88
				Myth	201 01 12	4082.7	4464.8	2.54
				Levee	154 16 11	2256.0	2467.1	1.40
				Turtle	261 20 42	3706.5	4053.3	2.30
				Levee	226 01 58	3730.4	4079.4	2.32
				Levee	211 47 10	4394.1	4805.3	2.73
				Lagoon	162 04 58	1203.4	1316.0	0.75
				Levee	223 57 04	7229.1	7905.6	4.49
				Curlew	241 28 17	3076.1	3364.0	1.91
				Curlew	225 21 39	4756.4	5201.5	2.96
				Camp	200 00 49	1993.0	2179.5	1.24
				Sand Reef	231 19 31	2887.0	3157.2	1.79
				Camp	218 36 23	4705.2	5145.5	2.92

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Section X.—Coast from Santa Cruz to Point Ano Nuevo, Cal.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
ST. JOHN'S HILL	36 58 22.48	122 04 32.68						
MOORE	36 56 45.40	122 02 55.32	142 50 51	St. John's Hill	322 49 53	3986.8	4359.8	2.48
BALCRAFT 1	36 57 08.76	122 04 31.33	179 13 22 286 51 20	St. John's Hill	359 13 21 106 52 18	2457.5 2481.9	2687.4 2714.2	1.53 1.54
Parsons	36 57 32.66	122 06 06.96	291 16 53 236 37 40	Balcraft 1	111 17 51	2538.8	2776.3	1.58
Rice	36 58 39.90	122 05 49.73	12 43 17 280 27 35	St. John's Hill	56 38 37	2792.0	3053.3	1.73
Lagoon	36 58 27.20	122 08 08.26	296 29 33 263 28 08	Parsons	192 43 07	1935.0	2116.1	1.20
Butler	36 59 21.17	122 07 24.04	33 18 48 298 36 19	St. John's Hill	100 28 21	1937.8	2119.1	1.20
Glassell	36 50 48.55	122 09 57.55	312 50 42 282 31 19	Parsons	116 30 46	3352.5	3666.2	2.08
Redwood	37 01 57.85	122 08 59.77	19 42 48 333 52 51	Rice	83 29 31	3448.1	3770.8	2.14
Point	37 01 22.04	122 12 21.12	309 03 41 257 28 25	Lagoon	213 18 21	1990.8	2177.1	1.24
Mansinita	37 02 34.62	122 11 26.56	31 04 09 287 20 12	Rice	118 37 16	2656.7	2905.3	1.65
Cook	37 03 39.38	122 13 23.54	339 58 05 304 37 22	Lagoon	172 51 48	3687.0	4032.0	2.29
Pine	37 05 21.12	122 12 08.25	30 40 16 348 38 52	Butler	102 32 51	3888.5	4252.4	2.42
Tranta	37 05 37.44	122 15 05.05	325 25 39 276 33 28	Glassell	199 42 13	4233.6	4629.7	2.63
Steele	37 08 03.44	122 15 55.52	344 39 37 311 42 13	Butler	753 53 49	5378.4	5881.7	3.34
Point Ano Nuevo	37 06 42.46	122 18 49.04	289 54 01 239 44 55	Glassell	129 05 07	4571.7	4999.5	2.84
Gushee	37 09 38.32	122 17 51.52	14 40 25 315 36 20	Redwood	77 30 26	5036.8	5573.7	3.17
Middle Point	37 08 51.13	122 20 35.86	326 22 30 250 15 00	Point	211 03 36	2611.8	2856.2	1.62
North gable of old house	36 57 22.60	122 04 03.11	160 11 28 132 06 12	Redwood	107 21 40	3800.4	4156.0	2.36
Balcraft's Landing, flag-staff	36 57 03.59	122 04 11.01	168 25 19 110 39 29	Point	159 58 43	4506.0	4927.7	2.80
Barn, west gable	36 57 31.54	122 04 49.52	96 32 50 327 20 56	Mansinita	124 38 32	3512.7	3841.4	2.18
Cutts No. 1	36 58 50.80	122 05 42.79	27 02 53 291 38 16	Cook	210 39 31	3645.8	3986.9	2.26
Cutts No. 2	36 57 57.87	122 07 00.80	293 56 03 255 33 23	Mansinita	168 39 17	5234.6	5734.4	3.25
Dunlap's house, chimney	36 58 13.65	122 06 43.40	101 15 27 320 06 38	Cook	145 26 40	4419.0	4832.4	2.75
Topog. No. 1	36 59 11.05	122 09 06.49	313 10 35 262 58 04	Pine	96 35 15	4394.5	4805.7	2.73
Topog. No. 2	37 00 43.05	122 11 19.45	236 14 42 177 03 40	Tranta	164 31 07	4670.0	5107.0	2.90
Topog. No. 3	37 01 50.60	122 12 36.85	231 59 31 161 00 35	Pine	131 44 30	7517.9	8221.3	4.67
Topog. No. 4	37 03 12.23	122 13 33.16	331 03 01 195 49 43	Tranta	109 56 16	5882.7	6433.2	3.66
Topog. No. 5	37 04 12.13	122 14 24.47	303 50 38 159 08 27	Steele	59 46 40	4957.0	5420.9	3.08
Topog. No. 6	37 06 40.62	122 17 04.78	168 06 26 91 16 03	Point Ano Nuevo	194 39 50	5603.5	6127.8	3.48
Topog. No. 7	37 08 16.07	122 19 33.74	224 50 28 125 11 02	Steele	135 37 30	4092.4	4475.3	2.54
				Point Ano Nuevo	146 23 35	4762.7	5208.4	2.96
				Gushee	70 16 39	4307.6	4710.6	2.68
				St. John's Hill	340 11 10	2158.2	2360.2	1.34
				Rice	312 05 08	3554.0	3886.0	2.21
				St. John's Hill	348 25 06	2670.7	2920.6	1.66
				Parsons	290 38 19	3065.2	3352.0	1.90
				Parsons	276 32 03	1928.1	2108.6	1.20
				Balcraft 1	147 21 07	833.9	912.0	0.52
				Rice	207 02 49	377.3	412.6	0.23
				St. John's Hill	111 38 58	1865.5	2040.0	1.16
				Parsons	113 56 35	1459.5	1596.1	0.91
				St. John's Hill	75 34 52	3785.0	4139.2	2.35
				Lagoon	281 14 36	2139.8	2340.0	1.33
				Parsons	149 07 00	1405.6	1537.1	0.87
				Lagoon	133 11 10	1975.2	2160.0	1.23
				Butler	82 59 06	2552.5	2791.3	1.59
				Redwood	56 16 06	4151.0	4539.4	2.58
				Mansinita	357 03 36	3443.5	3765.7	2.14
				Mansinita	52 00 13	2203.8	2410.1	1.37
				Cook	341 00 07	3546.0	3877.8	2.20
				Topog. No. 3	151 03 35	2875.2	3144.2	1.79
				Cook	15 49 49	869.9	951.3	0.54
				Cook	123 51 15	1812.1	1981.7	1.13
				Tranta	339 08 02	2814.2	3077.5	1.75
				Gushee	348 05 58	5597.7	6121.4	3.48
				Point Ano Nuevo	271 15 00	2574.4	2815.3	1.60
				Gushee	44 51 30	3575.9	3910.5	2.22
				Middle Point	305 10 25	1875.5	2051.0	1.17

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Section X.—Coast from Santa Cruz to Point Ano Nuevo, Cal.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	°		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Topog. No. 8	37 10 09.95	122 20 58.40	347 06 34 281 55 42	Middle Point	167 06 48 101 57 35	2492.6 4711.9	2725.8 5152.8	1.55 2.93
Barn No. 2, north gable	36 58 06.25	122 05 37.37	163 34 42 40 42 49	Rice	343 34 35	1081.2	1182.4	0.67
Rice's house, chimney	36 58 01.10	122 05 57.23	188 48 27 19 11 43	Parsons	220 42 31	1121.9	1226.9	0.70
Gushee's house, south chimney	37 08 50.92	122 19 43.50	341 14 44 284 33 52	Rice	8 48 32	1210.2	1323.4	0.75
Waddell's wharf, east pier	37 06 49.63	122 17 45.75	299 16 06 230 04 56	Parsons	199 11 37	732.3	800.8	0.45
<i>Coast from Point Ano Nuevo to Halfmoon Bay, Cal.</i>				Point Ano Nuevo	161 15 17	4181.8	4573.1	2.60
Pise Hill	37 27 34.58	122 19 37.31		Steele	104 26 10	5812.9	6356.8	3.61
JOHNSTON	37 26 10.47	122 25 28.44	253 14 46	Tranta	119 17 43	4549.5	4975.2	2.83
HALFMOON BAY	37 29 09.87	122 24 54.93	290 35 58 8 28 12	Steele	50 06 03	3546.5	3878.3	2.20
Summit	37 25 30.31	122 20 54.35	100 25 53 138 52 53					
Sellick	37 23 54.47	122 23 20.02	143 09 13 230 34 37	Pise Hill	73 18 19	9010.6	9853.8	5.60
Wetner	37 22 01.40	122 23 10.36	207 26 14 156 09 15	Pise Hill	110 39 11	8337.9	9118.0	5.18
Pillar Point	37 29 45.31	122 28 53.69	280 31 59 322 41 35	Johnston	188 27 51	5591.1	6114.2	3.47
Denniston	37 31 21.38	122 26 46.89	325 50 37 46 26 51	Halfmoon Bay	280 23 06	6850.5	7491.5	4.26
Hogle	37 31 46.45	122 29 47.94	279 51 01 340 21 51	Halfmoon Bay	318 50 27	8966.7	9827.6	5.58
Peak Mountain	37 33 35.79	122 27 40.70	12 28 24 40 44 20	Summit	323 07 55	5239.7	5730.0	3.26
Piedra	37 34 24.24	122 29 42.59	352 02 58 1 32 49	Johnston	50 36 06	4654.3	5069.8	2.89
South Peak	37 33 12.26	122 27 45.59	337 08 20 127 42 44	Summit	27 27 36	7256.8	7935.8	4.51
Cattle Hill	37 36 17.79	122 27 55.80	358 17 03 36 49 09	Johnston	336 07 51	8395.1	9180.6	5.22
False Cattle Hill	37 36 41.00	122 28 42.32	347 15 25 19 19 49	Halfmoon Bay	100 34 24	5965.5	6523.7	3.71
Wetner 2	37 20 26.80	122 22 19.02	156 16 32 192 32 18	Johnston	142 43 40	8324.4	9103.3	5.17
Seal	37 23 26.61	122 24 20.29	232 59 47 331 41 37	Halfmoon Bay	145 51 45	4898.4	5356.8	3.04
Hamilton	37 20 22.23	122 19 59.05	92 21 22 171 50 53	Pillar Point	226 25 34	4297.1	4699.2	2.67
Peak	37 17 37.45	122 20 35.98	154 05 12 190 08 28	Pillar Point	99 52 52	4511.6	4933.7	2.80
Gilbert	37 21 25.72	122 20 01.17	6 56 27 61 51 00	Pillar Point	160 22 24	3964.8	4335.7	2.46
Pescadero	37 16 22.32	122 23 13.04	190 00 01 239 04 54	Peak Mountain	192 27 45	7276.5	7957.4	4.52
Beutro	37 13 29.25	122 19 34.39	134 44 05 168 47 09	Hogle	220 43 08	4447.8	4863.9	2.76
Young	37 12 15.15	122 22 03.60	167 20 37 192 15 07	Pillar Point	172 03 28	8681.9	9494.3	5.39
Ranch	37 11 05.95	122 21 19.02	152 44 05 210 16 22	Hogle	181 32 46	4865.9	5321.2	3.02
Pigeon Point	37 10 46.00	122 22 36.91	196 37 59 252 14 32	Denniston	157 08 56	3709.1	4056.2	2.30
Bolsa	37 11 37.09	122 23 13.93	288 42 10 329 52 58	Piedra	307 41 33	3628.6	3968.1	2.25
				Peak Mountain	178 17 07	4996.1	5463.6	3.10
				Piedra	216 48 04	4372.0	4781.1	2.72
				Peak Mountain	167 57	5853.4	6401.1	3.64
				Piedra	199 12	4467.4	4885.4	2.78
				Johnston	336 14 36	11573.2	12656.1	7.19
				Summit	12 33 10	9585.1	10482.0	5.96
				Summit	53 01 52	6339.1	6932.3	3.94
				Wetner 2	151 42 51	6294.7	6883.6	3.91
				Wetner 2	272 19 57	3448.1	3770.8	2.14
				Hamilton	351 50 19	9594.4	10492.1	5.96
				Wetner 2	334 04 09	5804.6	6347.7	3.61
				Hamilton	10 08 50	5160.2	5643.0	3.21
				Peak	186 56 06	7088.5	7751.8	4.40
				Wetner 2	241 49 36	3847.9	4207.9	2.39
				Wetner 2	10 00 33	7652.7	8368.8	4.76
				Peak	59 06 29	4508.7	4930.6	2.80
				Pescadero	314 41 53	7582.4	8291.9	4.71
				Peak	348 46 32	7799.7	8529.5	4.85
				Pescadero	347 19 55	7809.0	8539.6	4.85
				Peak	12 16 00	10166.7	11118.0	6.32
				Young	332 43 38	2399.7	2624.2	1.49
				Beutro	30 17 25	5115.1	5593.7	3.18
				Young	16 38 19	2868.0	3136.3	1.78
				Ranch	72 15 19	2016.9	2205.6	1.25
				Ranch	108 43 19	2992.2	3272.2	1.86
				Pigeon Point	149 53 20	1820.6	1991.0	1.13

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Section X.—Coast from Point Ano Nuevo to Halfmoon Bay, Cal.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Purcell's flag-staff	37 24 06.25	122 24 09.33	296 51 04 12 25 53	Sellick	106 51 34	1252.1	1369.3	0.78
				Seal	192 25 46	1251.3	1368.4	0.78
Flora	37 23 18.60	122 23 12.18	98 23 19 169 22 17	Seal	278 22 38	1693.4	1851.8	1.05
				Sellick	349 22 12	1123.1	1230.4	0.70
Barley	37 22 33.43	122 22 34.63	122 15 02 155 38 48	Seal	302 13 58	3072.7	3360.3	1.91
				Sellick	335 38 20	2742.2	2998.8	1.70
Tunitas	37 21 19.31	122 22 18.36	266 38 18 0 34 35	Gilbert	86 39 41	3381.5	3697.9	2.10
				Wetner 2	180 34 35	1618.5	1769.9	1.01
Last	37 21 34.65	122 23 09.64	273 22 56 329 13 01	Gilbert	93 24 50	4645.6	5080.3	2.89
				Wetner 2	149 13 32	2434.3	2662.1	1.51
Accident	37 16 58.62	122 22 20.37	180 17 27 208 50 21	Wetner 2	0 17 28	6417.4	7017.9	3.99
				Hamilton	29 00 47	7176.1	7847.6	4.46
San Gregorio	37 18 49.87	122 22 54.45	106 15 52 236 35 06	Wetner 2	16 16 13	3112.8	3404.1	1.93
				Hamilton	56 36 52	5172.0	5656.0	3.21
Jack	37 15 21.76	122 23 48.07	204 48 55 228 30 27	Pescadero	24 49 16	2056.4	2248.8	1.28
				Peak	48 32 23	6315.2	6906.1	3.92
Frijoles	37 13 17.88	122 23 33.50	311 05 47 351 10 16	Young	131 06 41	2941.4	3216.6	1.83
				Bolsa	171 10 28	3144.1	3438.3	1.95
Hill Top, single tree	37 08 48.96	122 16 36.74	90 40 44 121 15 19	Middle Point	270 38 20	5900.8	6453.0	3.67
				Ranch	301 12 29	8143.9	8906.0	5.06
<i>San Francisco, Cal.</i>								
TELEGRAPH HILL	37 48 00.07	122 23 19.39						
Union street station	37 47 53.17	122 23 32.92	237 16 05	Telegraph Hill	57 16 13	393.5	430.3	0.24
Washington Square, engine-house.	37 48 00.69	122 23 32.92	273 18 57 0 00 00	Telegraph Hill	93 19 05	331.6	362.6	0.21
				Union street station	180 00 03	231.9	253.6	0.14
Washington Square, observatory.	37 47 55.34	122 23 32.92	0 00 00 180 00 00	Union street station	180 00 00	67.0	73.3	0.04
				Engine-house	0 00 00	165.0	180.4	0.10
<i>Suisun Bay, Cal.</i>								
ARMY POINT	38 02 54.08	122 06 49.02						
ISLAND	38 01 41.52	122 05 27.50	138 23 09	Army Point	318 22 19	2992.4	3272.4	1.86
Edith	38 03 05.09	122 03 12.80	86 20 06 51 53 56	Army Point	266 17 53	5281.9	5776.1	3.28
				Island	231 52 33	4174.1	4504.7	2.59
Goodyear	38 06 13.60	122 05 14.18	200 36 07 333 00 56	Army Point	200 35 09	6570.9	7185.7	4.08
				Edith	153 02 11	6521.1	7131.3	4.05
Seal Bluff	38 03 10.47	122 01 21.34	134 52 34 86 30 47	Goodyear	314 50 10	8004.1	8753.1	4.97
				Edith	266 29 38	2722.2	2976.9	1.69
Buckler	38 05 42.65	122 00 14.10	19 15 38 97 27 37	Seal Bluff	199 14 57	4969.5	5434.5	3.09
				Goodyear	277 24 32	7372.5	8062.3	4.58
Freeman	38 04 31.54	121 58 26.11	59 40 54 129 48 47	Seal Bluff	239 39 06	4948.4	5411.4	3.07
				Buckler	309 47 40	3424.9	3745.4	2.13
Hewston	38 08 11.18	121 59 57.28	5 06 50 64 52 11	Buckler	185 06 40	4597.2	5027.4	2.86
				Goodyear	244 48 55	8527.0	9324.9	5.30
Garnett	38 05 09.58	122 01 20.39	109 07 48 199 52 27	Goodyear	289 05 24	6028.0	6592.0	3.75
				Hewston	19 53 18	5953.2	6510.2	3.70
Green	38 04 05.50	122 01 45.99	48 39 23 127 55 09	Edith	228 38 29	2818.8	3082.5	1.75
				Goodyear	307 53 01	6428.8	7030.3	3.99
Stephenson	38 03 08.84	121 58 31.98	90 42 43 183 12 41	Seal Bluff	270 40 59	4128.8	4515.1	2.57
				Freeman	3 12 45	2553.3	2792.2	1.59
Sun	38 05 35.68	122 03 54.46	347 39 41 40 30 33	Edith	167 40 07	4752.5	5197.2	2.95
				Army Point	220 28 45	6551.4	7164.4	4.07
Moon	38 05 15.16	122 04 21.32	337 23 06 39 37 29	Edith	157 23 48	4344.0	4750.5	2.70
				Army Point	219 35 58	5645.9	6174.2	3.51
Preston Point	38 04 07.25	122 01 46.63	73 00 38 127 37 26	Army Point	252 57 32	7708.3	8429.6	4.79
				Goodyear	307 35 18	6383.4	6980.7	3.97
Bull	38 02 00.19	122 03 38.44	77 47 43 109 41 25	Island	257 46 36	2721.0	2975.6	1.69
				Army Point	289 39 28	4934.6	5396.3	3.07

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Section X.—Suisun Bay, Cal.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Bay	38 03 56.05	122 06 17.65	229 12 23 21 48 54	Edith	109 14 17	4771.9	5218.4	2.96
				Army Point	201 48 35	2057.7	2250.2	1.28
Mart	38 01 59.63	122 04 40.26	118 08 36 226 34 20	Army Point	298 07 17	3559.9	3893.0	2.21
				Edith	46 35 14	2935.7	3210.4	1.82
Mass	38 03 25.22	122 01 42.90	74 11 46 135 15 13	Edith	254 10 51	2277.7	2490.8	1.42
				Goodyear	315 13 03	7311.3	7995.4	4.54
King	38 05 16.40	122 01 06.27	43 53 23 62 19 03	Island	223 50 42	9188.8	10048.6	5.71
				Army Point	242 15 38	9435.8	10318.7	5.86
Delta	38 07 31.97	122 03 23.77	339 41 03 48 04 08	Seal Bluff	159 42 19	8596.0	9400.4	5.34
				Goodyear	228 03 00	3615.3	3953.6	2.25
Martinez	38 01 00.61	122 07 42.73	200 31 11 249 03 41	Army Point	20 31 44	3735.1	4084.6	2.32
				Island	69 05 04	3530.6	3861.0	2.19
Arsenal, flag-staff	38 02 37.97	122 06 54.75	195 41 58 309 16 51	Army Point	15 42 02	515.8	564.0	0.32
				Island	129 17 45	2748.5	3005.7	1.71
Marked tree	38 01 48.24	122 05 19.14	132 48 47 100 50 48	Army Point	312 47 52	2986.9	3266.3	1.86
				Goodyear	0 50 51	8181.6	8947.1	5.08
Simmons	38 05 07.86	121 57 43.35	150 00 57 90 35 33	Hewston	329 59 34	6525.3	7135.9	4.05
				Garnett	270 33 19	5288.8	5783.6	3.29
Hill	38 01 46.39	121 59 05.34	197 49 41 152 17 18	Simmons	17 50 32	6524.8	7135.3	4.05
				Garnett	332 15 55	7076.5	7738.6	4.40
Mallard	38 02 20.43	121 55 01.34	142 35 46 80 01 10	Simmons	322 34 06	6499.2	7107.4	4.04
				Hill	259 58 40	6041.3	6606.6	3.75
McDuff	38 05 25.01	121 53 42.75	84 52 00 18 36 31	Simmons	264 49 32	5886.2	6437.0	3.66
				Mallard	198 35 43	6004.3	6566.1	3.73
New York	38 02 15.00	121 52 14.32	159 48 21 92 22 11	McDuff	339 47 26	6242.1	6826.2	3.88
				Mallard	272 20 23	4075.8	4457.1	2.53
Collinsville	38 05 24.27	121 49 59.39	90 15 36 29 24 58	McDuff	270 13 18	5442.2	5951.4	3.38
				New York	209 23 35	6698.1	7324.9	4.16
Coon	38 08 25.75	122 02 24.86	277 06 55 345 26 18	Hewston	97 08 26	3621.5	3960.3	2.25
				Garnett	165 26 53	6248.3	6833.0	3.88
Brant	38 08 49.97	121 59 02.68	26 17 06 344 14 12	Garnett	206 15 41	7577.3	8286.3	4.71
				Simmons	164 15 01	7114.8	7780.5	4.42
Upper	38 06 36.27	121 58 14.51	59 28 08 139 27 50	Garnett	239 26 13	5258.3	5750.3	3.27
				Hewston	319 26 46	3850.2	4210.4	2.39
Otter	38 04 18.82	121 57 05.89	143 52 45 31 47 40	Simmons	328 52 22	1766.1	1931.4	1.10
				Hill	211 46 26	5528.1	6045.4	3.44
Goose	38 08 33.20	121 56 37.18	82 04 51 47 43 17	Hewston	262 02 47	4919.2	5379.5	3.06
				Garnett	227 40 22	9327.0	10199.8	5.80
Knox	38 03 10.08	121 55 03.38	132 58 39 66 23 55	Simmons	312 57 00	5327.8	5826.3	3.31
				Hill	246 21 26	6438.6	7041.1	4.00
Cupola	38 06 56.52	121 55 23.83	45 25 41 109 05 19	Simmons	225 24 15	4772.2	5218.7	2.97
				Hewston	289 02 30	7045.7	7744.9	4.38
Honker	38 04 44.33	121 54 45.99	99 32 36 49 04 29	Simmons	279 30 47	4382.5	4792.5	2.72
				Hill	229 01 49	8370.2	9153.4	5.20
Tripod	38 09 25.48	121 54 18.21	32 11 24 74 31 05	Simmons	212 09 17	9383.1	10261.1	5.83
				Hewston	254 27 36	8567.1	9368.7	5.32
Black house, chimney	38 03 25.23	121 53 27.03	116 53 03 69 45 14	Simmons	296 50 25	7002.6	7657.8	4.35
				Hill	249 41 46	8792.9	9615.7	5.46
Barrel	38 02 53.93	121 52 51.91	322 38 17 71 53 10	New York	142 38 40	1510.3	1651.6	0.94
				Mallard	251 51 50	3320.3	3630.9	2.06
Bush	38 03 25.95	121 50 23.17	51 05 49 189 01 24	New York	231 04 40	3482.4	3808.2	2.16
				Collinsville	9 01 39	3693.5	4039.1	2.29
Depot, flag-staff	38 04 19.21	121 49 59.86	40 34 21 110 29 56	New York	220 32 58	5040.6	5512.3	3.13
				McDuff	290 27 39	5798.1	6340.7	3.60
White house, gable	38 03 30.52	121 48 21.84	67 41 10 145 52 30	New York	247 38 47	6127.1	6700.4	3.81
				Collinsville	325 51 30	4636.8	5033.2	2.63
Antioch, brick tower	38 00 52.40	121 47 35.66	110 33 55 157 19 28	New York	290 31 03	7256.9	7835.9	4.51
				Collinsville	337 17 59	9084.5	9934.5	5.64

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF GEOGRAPHICAL POSITIONS—Continued.

Section XI.—Straits of Juan de Fuca, W. T., and Vancouver Island, B. C.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Ross	48 08 31.21	122 46 34.55						
PARTRIDGE	48 12 52.34	122 45 06.74	12 41 03	Ross	192 39 58	8266.0	9039.4	5.14
Admiralty Head light	48 09 15.79	122 40 09.47	80 13 32 137 28 48	Ross	260 08 45	8076.6	8832.3	5.02
				Partridge	317 25 06	9078.4	9927.9	5.64
Mast	48 11 58.26	122 43 35.70	30 02 15 131 38 09	Ross	210 00 02	7385.1	8076.1	4.59
				Partridge	311 37 01	2514.2	2749.5	1.56
Middle	48 08 09.36	122 49 45.39	213 20 20 210 16 10	Partridge	33 23 48	10464.6	11443.7	6.50
				Ross	80 18 32	4001.9	4376.4	2.49
Protection	48 07 55.30	122 55 14.93	233 48 01 264 03 36	Partridge	53 55 34	15555.8	17011.3	9.67
				Ross	84 10 03	10813.7	11825.5	6.72
Smith's Island light	48 19 04.01	122 50 11.06	346 06 06 52 48 58	Ross	167 08 48	26048.2	28241.1	12.46
				Dungeness	232 36 57	25052.7	27396.9	15.57
San Juan	48 27 33.98	123 01 42.77	317 50 04 74 45 26	Smith's Island light	137 58 41	21225.6	23211.7	13.19
				Discovery	254 36 54	14566.4	15929.4	9.05
Port Angelos light	48 08 20.88	123 23 42.35	257 38 39 202 21 20	Dungeness	77 51 37	22092.4	24159.6	13.73
				Discovery	22 29 15	34363.7	37579.1	21.35
Mount Tolmie	48 27 21.40	123 19 01.98	235 55 24 295 17 54	Bellevue	56 02 43	14517.7	15876.1	9.02
				Discovery	115 22 20	8082.3	8838.5	5.02
Gonzales	48 24 46.43	123 19 00.85	179 43 19 259 38 05	Mount Tolmie	359 43 18	4786.2	5234.1	2.97
				Discovery	79 42 30	7404.8	8097.6	4.60
Soughies	48 25 55.74	123 22 38.76	239 16 08 295 31 01	Mount Tolmie	59 18 50	5180.9	5665.7	3.22
				Gonzales	115 33 44	4964.6	5429.1	3.08
Astronomical station at Victoria.	48 25 23.68	123 22 05.88	145 41 15 226 05 16	Soughies	325 40 51	1198.8	1310.9	0.74
				Mount Tolmie	46 07 33	5244.1	5734.8	3.26
<i>Puget Sound, Vashon Island, and Anderson Island, W. T.</i>								
BEALS	47 27 54.65	122 25 30.93						
PULLY	47 27 00.31	122 22 21.48	112 56 40	Beals	292 54 20	4307.8	4710.8	2.68
HYER	47 25 19.49	122 25 17.34	176 36 00 229 47 00	Beals	356 35 50	4799.8	5248.9	2.98
				Pully	49 49 09	4223.6	4674.9	2.60
Greenbank	47 24 55.99	122 20 22.39	96 43 26 146 59 14	Hyer	276 39 49	6224.0	6806.4	3.87
				Pully	326 57 46	4578.6	5007.0	2.85
Robinson	47 23 16.13	122 21 56.07	132 05 50 175 36 13	Hyer	312 03 22	5684.4	6216.3	3.53
				Pully	355 35 54	6943.1	7592.8	4.31
Lunch	47 21 48.57	122 18 59.46	129 27 32 126 08 36	Hyer	309 22 54	10258.7	11216.4	6.37
				Robinson	306 06 26	4586.2	5015.3	2.85
Robinson II	47 23 07.25	122 22 04.71	212 33 46 301 59 59	Greenbank	32 35 01	3864.6	4357.4	2.48
				Lunch	122 02 15	4582.7	5011.5	2.85
Dash	47 19 07.66	122 25 15.67	209 44 23 208 25 18	Greenbank	29 47 59	12391.6	13551.0	7.70
				Robinson II	28 27 39	8413.9	9201.2	5.23
Piner	47 20 34.30	122 26 47.80	256 49 01 231 28 41	Lunch	76 54 46	10091.6	11035.8	6.27
				Robinson	51 32 10	7588.2	8298.3	4.72
Portage	47 24 25.46	122 25 47.22	222 00 57 200 34 25	Pully	42 03 28	6438.2	7040.7	4.00
				Hyer	20 34 47	1782.0	1948.8	1.11
Cedar Hill	47 26 20.58	122 25 53.57	254 32 30 318 49 25	Pully	74 35 06	4609.0	5040.2	2.86
				Robinson	138 52 20	7564.5	8272.3	4.70
Thompson	47 23 10.33	122 19 06.53	92 54 06 88 33 48	Robinson	272 52 01	3559.9	3893.0	2.21
				Robinson II	268 31 37	3737.8	4087.5	2.32
Soldier	47 23 45.31	122 19 06.73	72 32 43 58 40 18	Robinson II	252 30 32	3912.3	4278.4	2.43
				Piner	238 34 38	11328.7	12388.7	7.04
Neill	47 19 48.68	122 29 06.78	244 12 26 284 36 17	Piner	64 14 08	3239.6	3542.7	2.01
				Dash	104 39 07	5014.8	5484.0	3.12
North Defiance	47 18 56.35	122 31 28.15	242 46 13 241 25 13	Piner	62 49 39	6617.2	7236.4	4.11
				Neill	61 26 57	3379.4	3695.6	2.10
Peeyallup	47 18 21.90	122 30 33.71	214 15 10 132 56 11	Neill	34 16 13	3242.1	3545.5	2.01
				North Defiance	312 55 31	1561.5	1707.6	0.97
Dalco	47 20 38.21	122 31 09.13	349 58 33 7 14 08	Peeyallup	169 58 59	4274.2	4674.1	2.66
				North Defiance	187 13 54	3170.7	3467.1	1.97

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Section XI.—Puget Sound, Vashon Island, and Anderson Island, W. T.

Name of station.	Latitude.	Longitude.	Azimuth.	To station.	Back azimuth.	Distance.	Distance.	Dist.
	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Cutter.....	47 20 49.03	122 32 53.10	278 41 25 332 51 16	Dalco..... North Defiance.....	98 42 42 152 52 19	2307.4 3903.8	2414.0 4275.6	1.37 2.43
Pinnacle.....	47 18 00.81	122 33 06.15	183 01 03 206 46 16	Cutter..... Dalco.....	3 01 13 26 49 42	5301.5 5446.0	5688.2 5955.6	3.23 3.38
Gig.....	47 19 33.61	122 33 51.54	239 39 03 341 35 47	Dalco..... Pinnacle.....	59 41 03 161 36 21	3949.8 3020.0	4319.4 3302.6	2.45 1.88
Maple.....	47 18 40.85	122 32 06.43	45 24 58 126 26 42	Pinnacle..... Gig.....	225 24 14 306 25 25	1761.2 2744.0	1926.0 2999.7	1.09 1.70
Narrows.....	47 17 11.96	122 31 14.04	122 39 11 158 03 41	Pinnacle..... Maple.....	302 37 48 338 09 02	2796.7 2957.2	3058.4 3233.9	1.74 1.84
Evans.....	47 17 04.10	122 32 23.90	187 00 13 260 35 53	Maple..... Narrows.....	7 00 26 80 36 45	3710.2 1487.8	3291.8 1627.0	1.87 0.92
Lake.....	47 15 47.53	122 32 11.40	173 39 39 204 46 21	Evans..... Narrows.....	353 39 30 24 49 03	2379.0 2872.5	2601.6 3141.2	1.48 1.78
Camp.....	47 15 56.18	122 33 22.07	238 58 05 280 11 13	Narrows..... Lake.....	48 59 39 100 12 05	3565.7 1509.1	3899.3 1650.3	2.22 0.94
Day.....	47 14 35.17	122 33 16.97	177 32 51 211 39 57	Camp..... Lake.....	357 32 47 31 40 45	2503.7 2023.3	2737.9 2871.0	1.56 1.63
Fosdick.....	47 15 17.44	122 34 20.58	251 05 55 314 17 46	Lake..... Day.....	71 07 30 134 18 33	2870.0 1868.9	3138.5 2043.7	1.78 1.16
East Fox.....	47 13 38.35	122 34 54.87	193 15 26 220 33 13	Fosdick..... Day.....	13 15 51 49 34 25	3143.6 2705.1	3437.7 2958.2	1.95 1.68
Bolton.....	47 12 35.80	122 34 14.80	156 25 34 198 15 23	East Fox..... Day.....	336 25 05 18 16 05	2107.5 3881.6	2304.7 4244.8	1.31 2.41
Gibson.....	47 13 08.51	122 35 34.40	227 11 33 361 05 30	Day..... Bolton.....	47 13 14 121 06 29	3938.9 1953.7	4307.4 2138.7	2.45 1.22
Gove.....	47 09 59.49	122 37 23.54	201 28 21 219 26 24	Gibson..... Bolton.....	21 29 41 39 28 43	6272.3 6251.1	6859.2 6836.0	3.90 3.88
Upper.....	47 10 05.04	122 36 17.46	200 00 05 189 05 07	Bolton..... Gibson.....	29 01 35 9 05 39	5323.3 5737.5	5821.4 6274.4	3.31 3.56
Hyde.....	47 11 55.27	122 38 10.30	344 35 55 325 04 46	Gove..... Upper.....	164 36 29 145 06 08	3708.1 4150.8	4055.1 4539.2	2.30 2.58
Hornet.....	47 10 21.77	122 39 55.15	282 08 41 276 24 39	Gove..... Upper.....	102 10 32 96 27 19	3265.8 4612.8	3571.3 5044.5	2.03 2.87
Ketron.....	47 09 02.50	122 37 51.25	133 11 02 175 42 05	Hornet..... Hyde.....	313 09 31 355 41 51	3577.9 5350.1	3912.6 5850.7	2.22 3.32
Shower.....	47 07 45.89	122 38 43.19	215 31 51 204 49 18	Upper..... Ketron.....	35 33 38 24 49 56	5280.3 2606.2	5774.3 2850.1	3.28 1.62
Oro.....	47 08 32.06	122 40 05.02	251 32 30 309 34 36	Ketron..... Shower.....	71 34 08 129 35 36	2970.5 2237.1	3248.4 2446.5	1.85 1.39
Pickle.....	47 08 59.24	122 39 56.54	325 41 16 202 21 15	Shower..... Hyde.....	145 42 10 22 22 40	2741.9 5877.6	2998.5 6427.6	1.70 3.65
Run.....	47 08 16.31	122 37 23.65	140 32 10 202 32 38	Hornet..... Upper.....	320 30 19 22 33 26	5019.0 3635.0	5488.6 3975.2	3.12 2.26
Rose.....	47 08 49.76	122 37 42.90	217 44 17 338 32 57	Upper..... Run.....	37 45 20 158 33 11	2939.6 1109.6	3214.7 1213.4	1.83 0.69
Balch.....	47 11 27.47	122 40 12.83	297 10 00 349 36 19	Upper..... Hornet.....	117 12 53 169 36 32	5570.7 2062.5	6092.0 2255.4	3.46 1.28
Wirts.....	47 12 20.20	122 38 01.47	264 12 34 332 18 30	Bolton..... Upper.....	84 15 20 152 19 46	4793.8 4712.9	5242.4 5154.9	2.98 2.93
Goldaborough.....	47 13 25.92	122 36 31.33	357 18 18 43 04 15	Upper..... Wirts.....	177 18 28 223 03 09	6209.8 2777.6	6790.8 3077.5	3.86 1.73
Yoman.....	47 10 51.02	122 40 28.55	292 11 50 285 00 33	Gove..... Upper.....	112 14 06 105 03 37	4307.9 5474.0	4601.6 5986.2	2.61 3.40
Steilacoom, Presbyter'n church spire.	47 10 20.99	122 35 10.73	90 15 31 76 39 34	Hornet..... Gove.....	270 12 01 256 37 57	5988.5 2874.2	6548.8 3143.1	3.72 1.79
Steilacoom, Methodist church spire.	47 10 19.96	122 35 25.85	90 35 42 75 42 50	Hornet..... Gove.....	270 32 21 255 41 24	5670.3 2557.3	6200.8 2796.6	3.52 1.59
Tchelacoom.....	47 11 01.44	122 34 35.08	119 15 39 151 16 26	Wirts..... Goldaborough.....	299 13 08 331 15 01	4978.2 5087.8	5444.0 5563.8	3.09 3.16

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	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
Shaaf.....	47 12 52.79	122 39 26.77	247 08 42 332 07 35	Goldborough..... Wirts.....	67 10 07 152 07 54	2635.0 1138.5	2881.6 1245.0	1.64 0.71
Grass.....	47 14 18.49	122 35 13.68	211 31 04 258 08 03	Fosdick..... Day.....	31 31 43 78 09 29	2135.5 2507.7	2335.3 2742.3	1.33 1.56
Marked tree 23.....	47 16 30.24	122 32 46.98	10 03 57 236 34 40	Day..... Narrows.....	190 03 35 56 35 48	3008.7 2339.4	3946.3 2558.3	2.24 1.45
Marked tree 24.....	47 14 51.00	122 32 36.91	110 32 42 151 45 25	Fosdick..... Camp.....	290 31 26 334 44 52	2327.5 2225.3	2545.3 2433.5	1.45 1.38
Marked tree 25.....	47 14 00.00	122 33 19.86	71 30 56 151 54 31	East Fox..... Fosdick.....	251 29 46 331 53 46	2107.1 2710.8	2304.3 2964.5	1.31 1.68
Marked tree 26.....	47 11 37.71	122 39 09.39	341 02 48 323 40 47	Ketron..... Govo.....	161 03 45 143 42 05	5067.4 3763.4	5541.6 4115.5	3.15 2.34
Marked tree 27.....	47 08 48.28	122 36 48.51	92 17 17 195 25 12	Rose..... Upper.....	279 16 37 15 25 35	1146.8 2458.6	1254.1 2688.6	0.71 1.53
Marked tree 28.....	47 09 24.59	122 37 16.70	224 57 33 3 58 18	Upper..... Run.....	44 58 16 183 58 13	1765.3 2113.2	1930.5 2310.9	1.10 1.31
Marked tree 29.....	47 07 57.29	122 38 21.02	156 02 50 160 04 07	Hornet..... Balch.....	336 01 41 340 02 45	4882.1 6903.8	5338.9 7549.8	3.03 4.29
Defiance.....	47 19 00.83	122 32 21.16	118 05 08 206 41 17	Gig..... Dalco.....	298 04 02 26 42 10	2150.8 3365.7	2352.1 3600.6	1.34 2.09
Reading.....	47 22 11.76	122 32 01.72	339 05 16 22 52 57	Dalco..... Cutter.....	159 05 55 202 52 19	3092.3 2772.9	3381.6 3032.4	1.92 1.72
Passage.....	47 21 55.58	122 30 51.63	51 07 58 108 46 28	Cutter..... Reading.....	231 06 29 288 45 36	3274.1 1553.0	3580.5 1698.3	2.03 0.96
Ridge.....	47 23 03.41	122 30 45.42	3 33 29 45 06 22	Passage..... Reading.....	183 33 24 225 05 26	2098.6 2259.4	2295.0 2470.8	1.30 1.40
Richmond.....	47 22 34.01	122 31 50.00	236 09 58 314 06 02	Ridge..... Passage.....	56 10 46 134 06 45	1630.5 1703.3	1783.0 1864.9	1.01 1.06
Woodpecker.....	47 24 02.50	122 32 36.09	308 09 58 340 30 50	Ridge..... Richmond.....	128 11 20 160 31 24	2952.1 2898.3	3228.3 3169.5	1.83 1.80
Sandford.....	47 23 45.76	122 31 08.84	21 17 29 353 56 32	Richmond..... Passage.....	201 16 59 173 56 45	2377.7 3421.4	2600.2 3741.5	1.48 2.13
Thistle.....	47 25 02.95	122 30 21.77	22 29 29 56 28 15	Sandford..... Woodpecker.....	202 28 54 236 26 36	2579.8 3378.2	2821.2 3694.3	1.60 2.10
Prospect.....	47 25 44.23	122 31 25.68	313 35 02 354 29 09	Thistle..... Sandford.....	133 35 49 174 29 21	1849.3 3675.7	2022.4 4019.6	1.15 2.28
Teka.....	47 25 09.02	122 31 57.87	275 18 23 338 12 19	Thistle..... Sandford.....	95 19 33 158 12 55	2022.7 2768.9	2212.0 3027.9	1.26 1.72
Andrew.....	47 26 22.61	122 30 19.38	1 10 04 42 15 21	Thistle..... Teka.....	181 10 02 222 14 08	2460.3 3069.7	2690.5 3357.0	1.53 1.91
Marked tree 12.....	47 23 13.84	122 32 31.44	240 21 06 278 14 11	Sandford..... Ridge.....	60 22 07 98 15 29	1992.8 2246.4	2179.3 2456.6	1.24 1.40
Marked tree 13.....	47 24 41.80	122 32 11.18	254 13 33 323 01 36	Thistle..... Sandford.....	74 14 54 143 02 22	2382.7 2173.2	2605.7 2376.5	1.48 1.35
Marked tree 19.....	47 24 24.35	122 30 45.25	132 11 14 188 26 29	Teka..... Andrew.....	312 10 21 8 26 48	2054.2 3691.7	2246.4 4037.2	1.28 2.29
Marked tree 20.....	47 22 25.89	122 30 27.78	98 17 36 137 57 27	Richmond..... Woodpecker.....	278 16 35 317 55 53	1742.6 4301.7	1905.6 4393.1	1.08 2.50
Marked tree 22.....	47 21 32.29	122 32 37.78	311 54 18 343 06 29	Dalco..... North Defiance.....	131 55 23 163 07 20	2500.0 5032.4	2733.9 5503.3	1.55 3.13
South Vashon.....	47 19 57.75	122 30 17.32	6 37 53 38 06 39	Peeyallup..... North Defiance.....	186 37 41 218 05 47	2979.7 2409.7	3258.5 2635.2	1.85 1.50
Toby.....	47 18 18.31	122 26 09.20	169 04 45 216 24 43	Piner..... Dash.....	349 04 17 36 25 22	4276.8 1893.6	4676.9 2070.7	2.66 1.18
Harman.....	47 16 19.09	122 26 48.85	180 09 33 192 44 43	Piner..... Toby.....	0 09 34 12 45 12	7880.8 3774.6	8618.2 4127.8	4.90 2.35
Harris.....	47 17 55.34	122 25 58.83	19 28 41 105 16 17	Harman..... North Defiance.....	199 28 04 285 12 15	3152.2 7168.3	3447.1 7839.1	1.96 4.45
Pebble Bluff.....	47 17 00.00	122 23 47.32	71 39 32 121 42 25	Harman..... Harris.....	251 37 19 301 40 48	4019.2 3247.2	4395.3 3551.1	2.50 2.02

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	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
North	47 16 14.21	122 23 27.44	92 03 43 134 29 15	Harman	272 01 15	4235.5	4631.8	2.63
				Harris	314 27 24	4457.6	4874.7	2.77
Middle	47 15 41.81	122 24 01.10	108 05 59 149 02 52	Harman	288 03 56	3709.0	4056.0	2.30
				Harris	329 01 26	4808.4	5258.3	2.99
South	47 15 10.19	122 24 05.77	121 50 39 135 01 51	Harman	301 48 39	4034.4	4411.9	2.51
				Harris	335 00 28	5625.8	6132.2	3.50
George	47 16 46.98	122 28 11.04	168 13 10 220 16 48	Neill	348 12 29	5731.3	6267.6	3.56
				Dash	40 18 57	5695.7	6228.6	3.54

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Page 246. ABAGADUSSET, line 11, insert comma after word.

Page 247. BEDABEDEC, strike out ⁹ after BEDABEDEC, and insert ⁹ after Champlain.Page 252. Line 3, after *Kicapskitchepook*, change comma to period.Page 252. MEDOMAC, line 2, change hyphen in *matta-not* to comma.Page 252. MEGUNTICOOK, line 3, change hyphen in *cook-place* to comma.

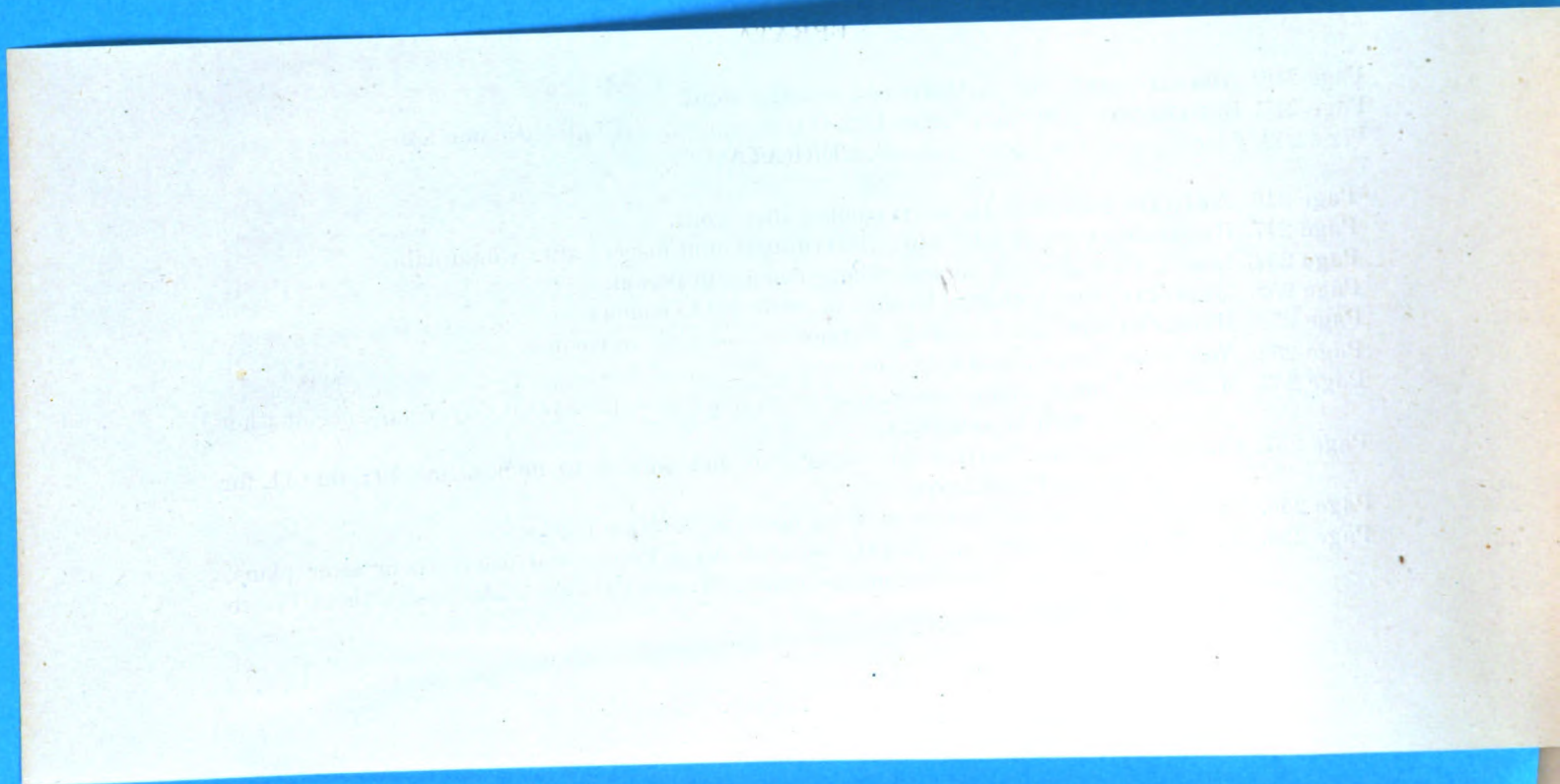
Page 252. Note 5, for Caryon read Carayon.

Page 253. MONSEAG, line 2, change *moris*, at to *mons*, as ; line 3, after Loon Bay, commence another paragraph with MOOSEBECK.Page 257. PISCATAQUA, line 7, strike out ¹ after two, and affix it to names, line 10 ; line 11, for *pesketegore* read *pesketegooe*.

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Page 258. Note 1, line 2, strike out quotation-marks after Pople, and insert them after plans, line 3 ; strike out quotation-marks before Strachey's, line 3, and insert them before for, line 4.

			56 04 39	Work	220 03 54	1544.4	1688.9	0.90
Root	47 21 42.26	122 28 47.79	275 06 32 319 54 39	Mire	95 07 13	1167.9	1277.1	0.73
				Phalon	139 55 11	1427.8	1561.4	0.89
Shell	47 22 23.13	122 27 19.38	26 50 50 55 46 30	Mire	206 50 26	1531.1	1674.4	0.95
				Root	235 45 25	2243.2	2453.1	1.39
Goose	47 22 55.82	122 28 21.97	307 33 20 13 24 57	Shell	127 34 06	1655.9	1810.9	1.03
				Root	193 24 38	2335.1	2553.6	1.45
Trunk	47 22 59.48	122 26 40.82	35 46 45 86 57 21	Shell	215 46 17	1383.7	1513.1	0.86
				Goose	266 56 07	2124.3	2323.1	1.32
Weir	47 22 54.72	122 26 01.75	59 05 00 100 10 04	Shell	229 04 03	1898.2	2075.8	1.18
				Trunk	280 10 35	832.4	910.3	0.52
Rander	47 23 02.30	122 26 31.82	290 22 08 39 31 05	Weir	110 22 30	672.7	735.7	0.42
				Shell	219 30 30	1568.0	1714.7	0.97
Marked tree A	47 23 13.30	122 27 19.35	0 01 33 67 39 12	Shell	180 01 33	1549.4	1694.4	0.96
				Goose	247 38 26	1419.8	1552.6	0.88
Scarlet	47 23 37.25	122 25 46.20	40 30 08 41 33 51	Shell	220 28 59	3009.7	3291.3	1.87
				Rander	221 33 17	1442.1	1577.0	0.90
Offal	47 23 20.49	122 26 15.57	229 57 23 339 59 04	Scarlet	49 57 45	804.4	879.7	0.50
				Weir	159 59 14	846.8	926.0	0.53
Tuttle	47 24 07.23	122 26 26.04	317 56 20 351 20 54	Scarlet	137 56 49	1247.0	1363.7	0.77
				Offal	171 21 02	1460.0	1596.6	0.91



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	° ' "	° ' "	° ' "		° ' "	Meters.	Yards.	Miles.
North	47 16 14.21	122 23 27.44	92 03 43 134 29 15	Harman	272 01 15	4235.5	4631.8	2.63
				Harris	314 27 24	4457.6	4874.7	2.77
Middle	47 15 41.81	122 24 01.10	108 05 59 149 02 52	Harman	288 03 56	3709.0	4056.0	2.30
				Harris	329 01 26	4808.4	5258.3	2.99
South	47 15 10.19	122 24 05.77	121 50 39 155 01 51	Harman	301 48 39	4034.4	4411.9	2.51
				Harris	335 00 28	5625.8	6152.2	3.50
George	47 16 46.98	122 28 11.04	168 13 10 220 16 48	Neill	348 12 29	5731.3	6267.6	3.56
				Dash	40 18 57	5695.7	6228.6	3.54
Landslide	47 17 29.34	122 29 13.17	181 47 09 238 38 51	Neill	1 47 14	4304.8	4707.5	2.67
				Dash	58 41 46	5839.6	6366.0	3.63
Marked tree 7	47 19 26.89	122 22 39.50	111 47 49 186 07 11	Piner	291 44 46	5612.6	6137.7	3.49
				Robinson II	6 07 37	6843.8	7484.2	4.25
Nemo	47 20 51.44	122 18 57.85	86 58 35 136 57 06	Piner	266 52 49	9877.0	10901.2	6.14
				Robinson II	316 44 49	5740.6	6277.8	3.57
Breaker	47 20 24.31	122 19 49.47	92 03 24 150 35 48	Piner	271 58 16	8785.5	9607.5	5.46
				Robinson II	330 34 08	5776.6	6317.1	3.59
Honeysuckle	47 19 57.49	122 21 53.70	100 27 52 177 44 41	Piner	280 24 16	6276.9	6864.2	3.90
				Robinson II	357 44 33	5864.4	6413.1	3.64
Flicker	47 19 11.88	122 24 14.48	200 31 33 84 13 33	Robinson II	20 33 08	7761.7	8488.0	4.82
				Dash	264 12 48	1291.4	1412.2	0.80
Master	47 20 00.04	122 28 59.05	311 21 18 289 03 16	Toby	131 23 23	4752.5	5197.2	2.95
				Dash	109 03 00	4960.9	5425.1	3.08
Zephyr	47 21 16.38	122 26 25.15	339 51 02 263 53 14	Dash	159 51 24	4233.8	4630.0	2.63
				Lunch	83 58 42	9403.9	10283.9	5.84
Middle Maury	47 22 13.77	122 24 49.52	318 44 27 276 03 48	Honeysuckle	138 46 36	5596.7	6120.3	3.48
				Lunch	96 05 06	7384.7	8075.6	4.59
Lath	47 22 45.25	122 23 38.99	336 53 31 266 35 32	Honeysuckle	156 54 48	5631.7	6158.7	3.50
				Lunch	106 38 58	6119.2	6691.8	3.80
Marked tree 4, (1867)	47 23 57.49	122 24 03.33	200 41 32 148 31 49	Pully	20 42 47	6034.8	6599.4	3.75
				Hyer	328 30 55	2969.3	3247.2	1.85
Valley	47 26 32.78	122 20 55.34	67 37 23 11 50 45	Hyer	247 34 10	5937.7	6493.3	3.69
				Robinson	191 50 00	6204.3	6784.8	3.86
Quarter	47 20 52.29	122 27 57.00	334 32 09 38 55 00	Toby	154 33 28	5265.9	5758.7	3.27
				Master	218 54 15	2073.7	2267.7	1.29
Work	47 21 10.97	122 28 53.41	295 58 12 3 05 41	Quarter	115 58 54	1316.9	1440.1	0.82
				Master	183 05 37	2193.5	2398.7	1.36
Phalon	47 21 06.88	122 28 03.97	29 15 27 96 56 34	Master	209 14 46	2365.8	2587.1	1.47
				Work	276 55 58	1045.1	1142.9	0.65
Mire	47 21 38.89	122 27 52.34	13 52 24 56 04 39	Phalon	193 52 15	1017.9	1113.1	0.63
				Work	236 03 54	1544.4	1688.9	0.96
Root	47 21 42.26	122 28 47.79	275 06 32 319 54 39	Mire	95 07 13	1167.9	1277.1	0.73
				Phalon	139 55 11	1427.8	1561.4	0.89
Shell	47 22 23.13	122 27 19.38	26 50 50 55 46 30	Mire	206 50 26	1531.1	1674.4	0.95
				Root	235 45 25	2243.2	2453.1	1.39
Goose	47 22 55.82	122 28 21.97	307 33 20 13 24 57	Shell	127 34 06	1655.9	1810.0	1.03
				Root	193 24 38	2335.1	2553.6	1.45
Trunk	47 22 59.48	122 26 40.82	35 46 45 86 57 21	Shell	215 46 17	1383.7	1513.1	0.86
				Goose	266 56 07	2124.3	2323.1	1.32
Weir	47 22 54.72	122 26 01.75	59 05 00 100 10 04	Shell	239 04 03	1898.2	2075.8	1.18
				Trunk	260 10 35	832.4	910.3	0.52
Rander	47 23 02.30	122 26 31.82	290 22 08 39 31 05	Weir	110 22 30	672.7	735.7	0.42
				Shell	219 30 30	1568.0	1714.7	0.97
Marked tree A	47 23 13.30	122 27 19.35	0 01 33 67 39 12	Shell	180 01 33	1549.4	1694.4	0.96
				Goose	247 38 26	1419.8	1552.6	0.88
Scarlet	47 23 37.25	122 25 46.20	40 30 08 41 33 51	Shell	220 28 59	3009.7	3291.3	1.87
				Rander	221 33 17	1442.1	1577.0	0.90
Offal	47 23 20.49	122 26 15.57	229 57 23 339 59 04	Scarlet	49 57 45	804.4	879.7	0.50
				Weir	159 59 14	846.8	926.0	0.53
Tuttle	47 24 07.23	122 26 26.04	317 56 20 351 20 54	Scarlet	137 56 49	1247.0	1363.7	0.77
				Offal	171 21 02	1460.0	1596.6	0.91

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Turf	47 23 41.16	122 27 25.07	236 56 28 273 19 11	Tuttle	56 57 11 93 20 24	1476.4 2076.5	1614.5 2270.8	0.92 1.29
<i>Gulf of Georgia, W. T.</i>								
EAST ROBERTS	48 58 24.86	123 01 06.56						
WEST ROBERTS	48 58 15.88	123 04 30.68						
Rock	48 53 58.77	123 19 33.55	249 50 24 246 31 46	East Roberts	70 04 18 66 43 06	23978.4 20015.9	26222.1 21888.8	14.90 12.44
Campbell	49 00 08.46	123 33 49.55	274 22 49 275 22 11	East Roberts	94 47 29 95 44 17	40031.7 35923.6	43777.5 39284.9	24.87 22.32
Galliano, southeast	48 54 14.91	123 20 12.65	123 23 47 248 40 44	Campbell	303 13 31 68 52 34	19884.3 20561.9	21744.9 22485.9	12.35 12.78
Galliano, northwest	49 00 47.07	123 33 54.59	276 03 43 253 55 19	East Roberts	96 28 27 126 00 40	40242.7 20644.5	44008.3 22576.2	25.00 12.83
Avenue	49 00 05.57	123 04 52.33	60 02 43 92 15 21	Galliano, southeast	239 51 09 271 53 27	21629.0 35425.6	23652.8 38740.3	13.44 22.01
Richards	48 56 08.01	123 25 55.11	296 34 48 253 55 19	Galliano, southeast	116 39 06 74 11 11	7796.6 26707.2	8526.1 29206.2	4.84 16.59
Galliano, northwest, Plumper signal	49 00 48.09	123 33 54.66	305 43 44 305 54 19	Rock	125 54 33 126 04 39	21601.1 20666.5	23622.3 22600.3	13.42 12.84
Marked tree, northwest, Roberts	49 01 24.68	123 05 30.97	86 16 30 51 17 58	Campbell	265 55 09 231 07 23	34591.8 21985.4	37828.6 24042.6	21.49 13.66
House on shore, south end	49 00 37.71	123 05 05.19	17 23 52 88 42 09	Bell's Chain	197 19 51 268 20 29	21850.6 35051.9	23895.2 38331.7	13.58 21.78
Hydrographic signal, 1858	48 59 29.24	123 04 43.73	62 54 20 94 02 55	Galliano, southeast	242 42 40 273 40 55	21246.0 35661.7	23234.0 38998.6	13.20 22.16
Robertsville, flag-staff	48 59 01.29	123 04 31.17	22 00 57 93 29 23	Bell's Chain	201 56 30 273 08 17	19277.7 35802.3	21081.5 39152.3	11.98 22.25
Disappointment	48 51 20.49	123 14 17.36	127 13 56 307 36 45	Rock	307 09 58 127 39 39	8087.5 5967.5	8844.2 6525.9	5.03 3.71
Forwood	48 54 56.64	123 23 08.29	289 47 40 129 32 16	Galliano, southeast	109 49 52 309 24 09	3800.5 17027.1	4156.1 18620.4	2.36 10.58
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APPENDIX No. 14.

GEOGRAPHICAL NAMES ON THE COAST OF MAINE.

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BRUNSWICK, MAINE, July, 1869.

SIR: In compliance with the proposals addressed to me June 30, 1868, I have the honor to present to you the following attempt at an examination of the geographical nomenclature of the coast of Maine, for the purpose of furnishing a list of the names of Indian origin, with their proper orthography, so far as it now can be ascertained, and their interpretation; and also names given by early settlers, or others coming from European shores; and when practicable the dates when these latter began to be used as terms of specific designation; and to add such historical notes as may be desirable for the further elucidation of the points thus brought into view.

In regard to the names derived from the language of the aborigines of this territory, difficulty arises from various causes.

The first is found in the changes produced by dialectic departures from the one original language. This language has been properly named the *Abnaki*, derived from the primitive words, *wanban*, *white*, and *akki*, also written *auke*, land or *place*, forming the compound word *Wanbanakki*.¹ As the light of the morning, before the rising of the sun, was an object of great interest to the wild men of the woods, in the pursuit of their game or their foes, they applied the term *wanban*, in one of its definitions, to denote "the clear morning light;" and then to designate the part of the heavens where it first appeared. Thus, the compound word was used to signify the "east-land," and, as a consequence, it was also applied to distinguish the language. By usage and the tendency of that usage to diminish the number of syllables, especially by foreigners, the name has been shortened to *Abnaki*,² though the forms *Abenaki* and *Abenaki* are sometimes used, with an equal respect for the origin of the name, which was not only adopted by the Indians of Maine, but was also applied to them by their fellow-natives living at the west of their territory.³

The name *Algonquin* has also been adopted to denote this language, which was not only the outlet of thought for the several tribes of the region now known as Maine, but served a similar purpose for all the tribes of New England, the new "Dominion of Canada," and the chief parts of the present States lying north of North Carolina and Kentucky, and those in the Northwest beyond the Mississippi. Indeed, it may be said to have spread over all the North from the Gulf of St. Lawrence to the prairies of the West, with its northern limit bordered by the Esquimaux; excepting from its range the entirely distinct language of the *Hodénosaunee*, "The People of the Long House," known in our history as the Six Nations of the Iroquois⁴ in New York, and the tribes residing on the borders of Lakes Erie, Huron, and St. Clair. This name *Algonquin* or *Algonkin* is taken from a small tribe in Canada,⁵ and in this wide sense is of only a recent application.⁶ It is convenient, as not being limited by a narrow geographical restriction like *Abnaki*; and may well be allowed to keep the place which Indian scholars seem willing to permit it to have.

¹ In pronouncing this word the Indians add the sound of *m* after the first *n*, which Râle introduces in the word *araimkik*, "sous la terre;" and give a peculiar rush of guttural breath, not to be represented by letters.

² Râle's Dictionary of the Norridgewock dialect, Pickering's Preface, in *Memoirs of the American Academy*, Vol. I, new series, p. 372.

³ Heckewelder, *Hist. Acct. of Indian Nations*, pp. 25, 107, 109, 111, who wrote *Wapanachki*.

⁴ Morgan's "League of the Iroquois," 1851.

⁵ Lescarbot speaks of the Etechemins, the Algonmequins, and the Montagnés as together sending a thousand men against the Iroquois. With an allowable liberty he writes the name differently from the now more common form. *Hist. Nouv. France*, Liv. III, ch. 10. *Mass. H. Coll.*, 2d ser., X, 131.

⁶ La Hontan, however, in 1715 gave more than thirty tribes as using this dialect. But his testimony is somewhat marred by including the Esquimaux in the number. *Tome II*, pp. 36-38.

But while this language is thus widely extended, and perhaps was once used as *one* throughout its whole domain, lapse of time, separation of tribes, diminished intercourse between them, various new circumstances, and the want of all power to fix the language with any approach to permanency by orthographic means, have produced changes in words to an extent that makes the dialects to appear even more than the dialects of ancient Greece, as if they were in reality different languages. As a single instance, reference may be made to the name of *hatchet*. In the Virginia dialect it was *Tamahaak*,¹ whence is derived the name tomahawk. In the Delaware it is *Temahican*. In the Penobscot dialect in Maine it is *Tamhegan*. In the Norridgewock it is *Temahigan*; in the Micmac, *Tumhegn*. In other words, the variations have become so great that the Indians of the tribe at Oldtown on the Penobscot, and their brethren of the Passamaquoddy tribe at Pleasant Point, though not a hundred miles apart, have great difficulty in conversing with each other; and both these have still greater in understanding the Micmacs of Nova Scotia. If the Norridgewocks, the Sokokis, the Souriquois, the Tarratines, the Etchemins, the Marasheets, and the Almouchiquois, were still as once living in the State, there would be a large measure of the same kind of impediment to intercourse still remaining. Yet their ancestors in remote days had the same language.

In the orthography of the names as well as in their interpretation, a knowledge of the different dialects is required. The means of gaining this knowledge is supplied in part by the labors of the missionaries of early times; among whom R  le is a memorable example of intelligence and fidelity.² They have reduced some of the dialects to a written form for the purposes of devotion, with translations. In words which conform to the dialects of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, the labors of Eliot, Cotton, and R  ger Williams afford great assistance. Vocabularies of the Delaware, Virginia, and Western dialects also contribute valuable aid.

Another difficulty is found in the *forms* in which these geographical names appear. The Indians knew nothing of writing, beyond certain attempts by figures of objects, drawn on the bark of the white birch and prepared skins, to indicate their movements on the march, and record their successes and defeats.³

Their words, as caught by the ear of the early navigators and the hardy pioneers in the forest, are presented in different orthographies. In some instances the change has been so great that the original form of the names has been nearly lost, and could not have been recovered but from the fact that the present Indians often retain the ancient name, and thus enable the inquirer to preserve it in accordance with their own expressions. And yet in some instances they do not entirely agree in their own utterances. We find a variation in pronunciation among them, as we also find it in that of our own language. As a single instance, the following changes of the word *oolegan*, *good*, are all equally well understood by the members of the present Penobscot tribe: *Ooregan*, *oolegan*, *oulegan*, *ouregan*, *wunnegan*, *winnegan*, *wauregan*, *waulegan*, and perhaps some others. When to this variety of pronunciation there is added the imperfect writing of the early settlers and interpreters, a reason readily appears why the names of persons and places should be clad in several varying forms. In many cases where the existing vocabularies do not afford aid, the present Indians are unable to give an explanation. They refer them to an older language; and this must mean the original language, before it was broken into dialects, where changes have proceeded so far as to show an appearance of a language of a different structure; though the careful student will see the traces remaining sufficient to carry his thoughts back to the common parentage. Or they ascribe them to the temporary influence of other tribes, in fixing some of their words as permanent designations of certain localities.⁴

In determining the meaning of words, necessary aid is found in remembering that the Indians

¹ The word appears to be a compound, from *tehemep*, to cut, and *haac*, pronounced *hauc*, an implement, tool.

² His dictionary of the Norridgewock dialect was captured by Colonel Westbrook in 1721. ² Williamson's Hist., 108. It is preserved in the library of Harvard University, and was published (1833) in the "Memoirs of the American Academy," Vol. I.

³ The Micmacs had a hieroglyphical mode of writing, different from the pictographic, and somewhat like the Chinese, in which characters represented words and combined ideas. The early missionaries adopted the method and carried it onward to a large extent. New York Hist. Magazine, vol. 5, pp. 289-292. "Micmac or Recollect Hieroglyphics."

⁴ The name *Chesuncook*, denoting a large lake in the northern part of Maine, is one of this class. The Penobscot Indians do not explain it. But with the vocabulary of the Pennacooks, as given by Potter, in the Farmers' Monthly Visitor, Vol. XIII, 323, the meaning is ascertained to be *Great Goose Lake*.

of different tribes, and indeed to some extent in the same tribe, interchanged certain consonantal sounds without any hinderance to the communication of their thoughts. Thus the letters *b* and *p*, *l* and *r*, were used for each other; so were *k*, *g*, and *q*; and *t* was sometimes the substitute for *k*, and even for *q*; while *f* and *v* were not used in Maine, though sometimes appearing in the words as *written* by the new-comers; especially in the case of the latter of these two where *u* and *v*, in the old English custom, were employed as equivalents, as in the name applied to a locality in Maine, and afterward to a large part of its coast—*Mau-oo-shen*, written *Mar-oo-shen*. The Micmacs seem of late to have introduced *f* and *v* in place of *b*. Vowels were easily changed; and the persons who early wrote their words used much liberty in the introduction of such letters as they deemed best for their purpose; and through carelessness allowing *u* to appear as *n*, and the reverse. Letters were also introduced for the sake of avoiding harshness of sound, particularly in the composition of words,¹ formed by taking parts of several and “agglutinating” them into a new form; sometimes taking only a single sound or syllable from the least important, and sometimes extending the union to a length like the following:

“Nukkitteamonteanitteanganunnonash.”²

In the termination of words denoting *place*, the syllables *at*, *et*, *it*, *ut*, *set*, frequently appear; and, while used as affixes, have the power of prepositions, meaning *at*, *in*, *near*; also *ak*, *ek*, *ik*, *ok*, *uk*; and *ag*, *aug*, *og*, *ook*; and with *e* euphonic prefixed, *cook*, sometimes becoming *kuk*, *onk*, and *unk* with *l* prefixed, *lunk*; and some others, which will easily be seen to fall within this class, usually called *locative* affixes, such as *eag*, *keag*, *keak*, *ke*, *ki*. Sometimes syllables added appear to have been the termination of a verbal form for the purpose of giving a verbal meaning to the noun to which it is applied. Though they had no substantive verb, they seem to have had some idea of its nature; and by this addition they conveyed the thought of the object *existing* in the place to which they appropriated the name. But the more common derivation for these affixes will be found in the word *auké*,³ *land*, *earth*, *place*; written in dialectic differences *ahki*,⁴ *ohki*.⁵ The first syllable under euphonic influences readily passed into *uk*, *ook*, and the other forms above noted, easily recognized as having their origin in this word, and as prevalent among the Massachusetts tribes, and those of its contiguous territory;⁶ while in the central and eastern parts of Maine, the *last* syllable was frequently adopted for this use, appearing as *ki*, *ke*; and with *k* as a suffix, having the power of a preposition, making *kik*;⁷ and from this, in the English mode of writing, becoming *keag*; which form also appears in other parts of New England. Sometimes, too, from the instinctive desire for euphony, the first consonant *k*, in which the meaning resides, was allowed to disappear, or be supplemented by another, and so was changed to *eag*, *deag*, *seag*, and others.

As the pine-tree was the characteristic growth of a large part of the State, it was but a natural consequence that many localities should be named with reference to this fact. The same is true in regard to the places frequented by the bear. Noted places for catching and drying fish were marked with names to designate these occupations. Thus we see the reason for the frequent occurrence of the same words in the interpretation of these names.

This attempt to explain the following words, as well as to present them in a correct orthography, is the first that has been thus systematically made. In the majority of them there can be

¹ “This language doth greatly delight in *compounding of words*, for abbreviation, to *speak much in few words*, though they be sometimes *long*; which is chiefly caused by the *many syllables* which the *Grammar Rule* requires, and *suppletive syllables* which are of no signification, and curious care of *Euphonic*.” Eliot, Ind. Gram. in Mass. Hist. Collections, 2d ser., Vol. IX, p. 252.

² The language of the Esquimaux is even more prolific in long words. The expression “Lest I be full,” (Prov. 30, 9,) is thus translated: “Karsillárnekárnáuvicíssegallóartonga.” But an example by J. Hammond Trumbull, to whose eminent success in Indian scholarship the present writer is much indebted, furnished in a note to his edition of Roger Williams’ Key, p. 184, and lengthened beyond all that has yet appeared, “gives, in illustration of ‘the Indian way of compounding words,’ one of twenty-two syllables, which signifies ‘our well-skilled looking-glass makers.’”

“Nup-pahk-nuh-tó-pe-pe-nau-wut-chut-chuh-quó-ka-neh-cha-e-nin-nu-mun-nó-nók!”

“One can hardly look at it without stammering. With a language permitting the construction and use of such compounds as this, the ‘man of few words’ might yet be loquacious.”

³ R. Williams.

⁴ Schoolcraft.

⁵ Eliot.

⁶ As *ak*, *ok*, *oc*, *og*, *aug*.

⁷ Rôle’s Diet., “Terre.” But *auké* is here sometimes retained: as in *K’tahdenauké*, now Mt. Katahdin; *howanoche-wauké*—white man’s place, i. e., house.

but little doubt as to a near approach to accuracy in both particulars. Some are involved in an obscurity which further investigation may remove.

A few English local names, as before mentioned, are added for the purpose of referring to their origin, and, as far as may be, to the times and reasons of their application to localities well known.

Trusting that this effort to illustrate the geographical names on the coast of Maine, as to their orthography, meaning, and history, will be acceptable and prove beneficial to your Department, I have the honor to be, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

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ABAGADUSSET.—This name is given to a river and a point on the north side of Merrymeeting Bay. The original name of the point was *Nagusset*.¹ At a later day it was called "Point Agreeable." Among its several forms occurs *Bagadasset*; which agrees with the word *bagadassck*, given by Râle under *eclairer* to *shine*; who also under *soleil* gives *pagadassem, il eclaire, i. e.*, the sun shines. It is not known whether the river or the Indian chief of early days first received this name, which was probably taken from the reflection of the sunbeams on the waters of this broad inland bay. This sagamore, jointly with Kennebis, of Swan Island, deeded land to Christopher Lawson, of Boston, October 8, 1649, who built a house and dwelt on the western side of the Kennebec, below the bay, and afterward sold to Thomas Lake, but in such a way as to be deemed to have conveyed no title.² This chief appears to have been peaceful, like "The Shining Sun."

But another mode of writing the word *Abegaduset*, suggests a preferable interpretation, from the word *beguâtus*³ bay. It may refer to the large expanse of Merrymeeting Bay, or to the broad opening of the river bearing the name at the head of this article. Dropping the first letter, probably an English prefix, and using the locative *et*, the word finds its equivalent in *At the Bay*, as the place where the chief has his home.

ACQUEHADONGONOCK.—This word denoted a point on the west side of the "Chops," *Kebec*, where the Kennebec leaves Merrymeeting Bay in its progress to the ocean. It is derived from *Ughiadi*, to finish, terminate; *agicain*, dried-fish, (Râle,) *augowam* and *auguan*, (John Smith,) *smoked fish*, and *ock*, a place. The full form will, therefore, be *Ug-hi-ad-an-gicai-ock*.⁴ The form given at the head of this article is found in the ancient maps of the Pejepscot Company, now in possession of the Maine Historical Society. The accepted interpretation of the name is Smoked-Fish-Point.

AGAMENTICUS.—This name was given by the Indians to the stream now called *York River*, at the mouth of which Sir Ferdinando Gorges planned to found the city which was called "Gorgeana," and incorporated by him by a grant in 1642. Thence it was appropriated to the mountain near its source, called by Captain John Smith "Sassenowe's Mount," and by the Prince his Highness, "Snodon Hill." It is derived from the form of the little pond in the town of Eliot, at its head, which is much like that of the Indian snow-shoe, *aighem*, plur., *anghemak*.⁵ The last syllable is the same as *koos*, a stream, from *kesoose*,⁶ to *run*, or *koosihada*,⁷ to *run down*. The full form of the word, therefore, was *An-ghem-ak-koos*, with the euphonic syllable *ti* interposed to make *An-ghem-ak-ti-koos*, meaning "Snow-shoes River," or "Raquette River," as in the Adirondack region of New York. By the softening process of usage it has come through various orthographies to its present form, *Agamenticus*.⁸

ANDROSCOGGIN.—The present form of the name borne by this important river, improperly

¹ So says tradition, confirmed by documents in the Pejepscot Papers, Vol. 1, p. 105. S. Davis, p. 491^a, Cossen's deposition. Maps in same, 50 and 54^a, 1719.

² Pejepscot Papers, Vol. 1.

³ See Castine.

⁴ *Ock*, or *auk*, from *auke*, land.

⁵ Râle under *raquette lac*. When a bay in a lake was described, the word was *icairiaighemak*. The word is derived from *aigmakou*, the ash-tree, of which wood the curved rim was made.

⁶ In the *Kimzooi Awikighan*.

⁷ Râle under *avaler*.

⁸ John Smith wrote it *Accominticus*. *Ahkeekwontep*. *Seal Head* on Fox Islands; *ahkeek-seal*, *upakwontep*, head.

reports its original, *Amoscougan*, as it appears in "The Indian Perepole's Deposition."¹ It has been thought to have been given in compliment to Governor Andros,² who had taken an active interest in the affairs of Maine for several years, beginning as early as 1677. But the name appears in an instrument for the conveyance of the right of sovereignty over a large tract of land on both sides of the river, from the falls at Brunswick, by Thomas Purchase, to John Winthrop of Massachusetts, in 1639. Perhaps the influence of Andros in the province had the power to perpetuate his name in this connection successfully over the other sixty forms in which it has been written, according as its sound was received by the ancient hunters, owners, and settlers. There seems to have been a disposition to make it conform to known words in the English usage. The name "Coggin" is a family appellation in New England; and it was easy to place before it, according to each man's preference, other familiar names, and to call the stream "Ambrose Coggin," "Amos Coggin," "Andrews Coggin," "Andros Coggin," and "Andrus Coggin." Its derivation is from the word *namās*, *fish*, abbreviated, as is the frequent practice, by dropping the first letter, and *skaouhigan*, (*skowhegan*), a fish-spear. Under the word *poisson*, Râle gives *kankskaouihigan* as a *trident*, or the long piece of iron in the middle of it. The last part of this word denotes the iron point between the two outer portions, each of which is called *enegahquok*. The syllable *kaik* is the line that draws the flexible sides together.³ This part of the word is retained as a local name originally applied to the falls at *Skowhegan*, on the Kennebec, just below which the waters have long been frequented for torch-light spearing.⁴ The name, as furnished by Perepole with his description, marked the part of the river above the *Amitigonpontook*—that is, the "Clay-land Falls" at Lewiston; upward to "Arockamecook"—that is the "Hoe-land," at Canton Point. The rips and shallows in this portion were favorable for spearing fish beyond any part below. The name may, therefore, be translated the *Fish Spear*, or *Fish Spearing*.⁵

ATKINS' BAY is the expanse of water near the mouth of the Kennebec, between Hunniwell's Point, on which Fort Popham stands, and Cox's Head. It takes its name from an owner of the adjoining territory, who was an original settler,⁶ and afterward sold his property to William Cock,⁷ in 1662, consisting of 1,300 acres of land, of which the first existing map was made in 1731.⁸ It is without doubt the aboriginal *Sabino*, which will be explained in its proper place. Mr. Atkins had ten daughters, and the fact that in the transfer of property after his decease they all signed the deed with their marks shows the studied inattention to female education in the laws of Massachusetts, from the south shore of which State Mr. Atkins came, and to which he appears to have removed after the sale of his land.

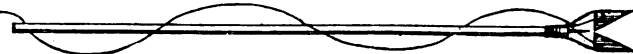
BEDABEDEC,⁹ (*Be-da-be-da-ki*.)—The original name of the region about "Owl's Head." The word is first seen in Champlain, who describes it as "a low land," (*une terre basse*), and the cape as "La Pointe de Bedabedec." The derivation of the name is somewhat conjectural; but it appears to come from *nêbe*, *water*, abbreviated and repeated; *da*, interjectional, *there*, to indicate admira-

¹ Maine Hist. Coll., Vol. III, 333, taken from the Pejepscot Papers, Vol. 1, 504^a. Perepole is Pierre-Paul.

² Webster's Dictionary, p. 1629.

³ Compare *skahaigan*, *bois fourchu*, in Râle, and *skahogan*, a "forked post," in "Kimzowi Awikhigan," the *o* having a nasal sound; *sekowhegan* in Penobscot and *sequahegan* in Micmac is the iron spike, formerly bone.

The application of the parts of this word will be more apparent from the following representation of the spear as used now. The wooden triangular pieces of wood open upon the springs when pressed on the fish, and the iron spike pierces him. As the triangles spring back the line is drawn and he is secured.



⁴ Lithgow's Deposition. Pej. Pap., Vol. 1.

⁵ In an account of places on the coast and interior, with their names and distances, Purchas gives *Mas-sa-ki-ga*, which, from its position in his statement, was on the Kennebec. The full form of the word would be *Na-mās-sa-ke-gan*, (*namās*, *fish*.) This is sufficiently like the present name to show the nearness to certainty that it denoted the same locality as the present name of the falls on the Kennebec at *Skowhegan*.

⁶ He attended a meeting for settling a government on the Kennebec, May 23, 1654. Hazard's Coll., I, 585.

⁷ From him came the name Cock's Head, now Cox's.

⁸ Pej. Pap., Vol. 6, Map 52.

⁹ Ch. III, p. 62, edit. 1632. See Jeffery's maps. Champlain speaks of the mountains of "Bedabedec," p. 67, evidently meaning the Megunticook Range at Camden, called by Colonel Church, in his Indian Wars, "The Mathebestuck Hills," and by John Smith, nearer the beginning of the same century, (1614,) *Mecaddacut*, "against whose feet doth beat the sea." Mass. Hist. Coll., 3d ser., Vol. VI, 117. Church's narrative, 141. 2, Williamson, 95.

tion, repeated for emphasis, and *ki*, land or *place*; *water-there! water-there! place*; which in our language may find its proper expression in "Cape of the Waters" or "Cape of the Ocean." The Indians translate "Owl's Head" into *Co-co-cas-wantep-uk*, from *co-co-cas*,¹ owl, (*kookookasoo*, *chat huant*, *Râle*,) and *up-pak-wantep*, head, and *uk*, a locative. On Smith's map of 1614 it is "P. Travers."

BUNGANUNGANUCK, commonly shortened to *Bunganuck*.—This small stream, flowing into Maquait Bay, runs at the bottom of a deep ravine, the deepest for a long distance on this part of the coast, and on this account became to the natives a fit object for a special designation to indicate that feature. In one of the cognate dialects the word *Pank-han-nunk* denotes *under the bank*, from *pank-han-ne*, a *bank*. *P* and *b* are often interchanged, and vowels oftener. Thus this word receives an explanation in perfect accordance with the high and steep *banks* on both sides of the stream, which seem to be more emphatically described by the repetition of the syllables *ungan*.² It may be represented in English by "High-bank Brook."

CAPE ELIZABETH.—The date of the discovery of this cape, and the person by whom the name was given, are not known. The first appearance of the name is on John Smith's map, 1614. The Indian name was *Apistama*.³ The present one may have been given by Gosnold in 1602, or Pring, more probably in 1603. Gorges reports of him that he "brought with him," on his return, the most exact discovery of the coast, that has since come into his hands.⁴ The Queen reigning at the commencement of that century has her name here permanently fixed on this prominent headland of Maine.

CASCO, (*kasko*).—This bay, early known as the *Archipelago* of Gomez,⁵ bears a name easily interpreted. The word *kaskou* appears in *Râle's* dictionary under *oiseaux* without any equivalent. In the "Kimzowi Awikhigan," *kasko* is *crane*, and the present Indians give the same explanation. In early maps and writers it appears as *Koskebee*, *Kaskebee*, *Cascobé*, which forms are easily resolved into *kasko-nebe*. The abbreviation of the last word, as is usual in composition, helps to make the word *Casco-be*, to be translated *Crâne-water* or *Crane Bay*. An early name was *Aucocisco*, as seen in Smith; probably pronounced *Uh-cos'-is-co*, the first syllable being deeply guttural, and was written as the hearers caught the sound. The crane or heron still frequents these waters.⁶

CASTINE was named from the Baron de St. Castine, who occupied the place of the present remains of the old fort near the water of the bay, a short distance from the town, and on the spot where the Plymouth Company from Massachusetts had a trading establishment in 1626. D'Aulnay erected his fort some years later, (1635-40.)⁷ Castine came about 1665.⁸ The place had been formerly known as *Bagaduce*, *Bigaduce*, and indeed by a variety of similar sounding names, among which Major Biguyduce, erroneously supposed to be the name and title of a French officer once a resident there, came nearer than the rest to the original.

Matche-be-gwâ-toos.—*Matche* is *bad*, and *be-gwa-toos* is *bay*. In the explanation by the Indians the name marks a place in the harbor of Castine, where, when the tides from different entrances meet over sunken rocks, the navigation is so difficult and perilous for their light canoes as to suggest the name of Bad Bay.⁹ Purchas gives *Chebegnadose*, which omits the first syllable *mat*, and by an easy error gives *n* for *u*.¹⁰

CATHANCE.—This winding river runs into Merrymeeting Bay on the north side. The word *ka-*

¹ Zeisberger, in the Delaware dialect gives *gôk-hos*, *g* for *c*.

² Eliot, Gram. p. 17. R. Williams, Key, Trumbull's note, 208.

³ Williamson's Hist., Vol. 1, p. 30, note. It was also called by the Indians *Semiamis*, R. H. Major's note in Strachey, Caput IX, Aug. 28, 29. These two names were probably attached to two different points of the same projection.

⁴ Brief Narration, Ch. V. The way in which Smith, and after him (Levet), in 1623, introduce the name, shows that this cape was already a recognized point, (Me. H. Coll., Vol. II, p. 86.) The death of Elizabeth, in 1603, would seem to be a reason for the naming of the point by Pring, rather than by Smith many years later. See Smith, Mass. H. C., Vol. VI, 3d ser., and Map, Vol. III, 3d ser.

⁵ Me. Hist. Coll., 2d ser., Vol. I, p. 299. Ribero's map, 1529.

⁶ Willis' Hist. Portland, p. 15.

⁷ Williamson's Hist., I, 308.

⁸ Me. Hist. Coll., Vol. VI, p. 111.

⁹ *Râle* "noms" writes it "Matsibigwadoosek, la riviere, ou est Mr. St. Gastin;" the word is the same, *matsi*, *bâd*, with the locative *ek*.

¹⁰ Pilgrimage, Vol. IV, p. 1674.

thans in Quinnipiac dialect of Connecticut is translated *seas*.¹ But this supplies no aid here. The word is explained by the Indians as *bent, crooked*. They pronounce it *Kat-hah-nis*. Another river of the same name is found in the eastern part of the State, near Dennysville, of the like winding character.

CHAMCOOK is the name of a short range of mountains in New Brunswick, on the eastern side of the St. Croix, which takes its name from the narrow part of the river, known to the natives as *K'tchamcook*, from *k'tche*, great, the abbreviated *namas*, fish, and the locative *cook*. The meaning is *the great fish-place*, of which the reputation still continues.

CHEBEAG, erroneously written *Gebeig, Jebeig*.—The analysis of the full word would be *k'tche*, great, *nebe*, abbreviated *water*, *ak*, a locative, making *K'tchebeak*, *Great water-place*. From the heights of this large island the ocean view is very extensive.

CHEPUTNATICOOK.—This name of the upper part of the St. Croix is probably taken from one of the boundary lakes. It has been said to mean Great-Hill Lake.² Its long and narrow form, like a wide river, is bordered on the west by a range of abrupt and elevated ridges, covered with a heavy "black growth," chiefly spruce, and might well suggest this explanation. But in dividing the word into its parts, *K'tche-put-natic-ook*, and finding in a cognate dialect the word *nataque*, (*nätäk*,) beaver, it would seem to refer to an abounding place for this animal. The second syllable, *put*, is still obscure, as is indeed the meaning of the whole word. It is often shortened to *Cheput-nacook* and *Cheputnook*.

CHEWONK, from *k'tche*, great, *w* euphonic, and *onk*, a locative, finds its equivalent in *Great Neck*.

CHICKAWAUKEE, a pond supplying the city of Rockland with water, *k'tche*, great, *kooëh*, pine, *auke*, place. The first part of the second word is taken to make *K'tche-koo-auke*, representing *Great Pine Lake*.

COBSCOOK would be more correctly *Cob-os-se-cook*; from *cob'-os-se* or *cab'-os-se*, (*kabassé, Râle*,) and *cook*, a locative, equal to Sturgeon River. A similar name, *Cobossecontee* or *Cobosseconticook*, is the name of the mouth of the valuable mill-stream at Gardiner, where this kind of fish anciently abounded.³ The stream itself was called *Sq-nagüset*, implying that some important Indian dame had once dwelt on its banks.⁴

COX'S HEAD.—For the origin of this name see ATKINS' BAY.

COWSEAGAN.—This narrow passage near Wiscasset bears a name corresponding to the word *koussigan*,⁵ denoting an Indian mode of kindling fires, with certain forms and ceremonies, for the purpose of foretelling future events or ascertaining about the absent in war or in the chase; whether they are living or dead. Perhaps this neighborhood was the place where this was often done. The Indians explain it as "Fortune-telling."

DAMARISCOTTA.—This was Tamescot in Heylin and other early writers. The present Indians call the river *Matamascontee*; a name also of a tributary of the Penobscot in the northern part of the State. They explain it in reference to successful fishing. The analysis of the word denotes that a certain kind of fish, at the proper season, were abundant in the tide-water below the steep falls, up which they went into the fresh-water pond, a short distance above, for increase. The component parts of the word are *mahdāmās*, *alewife*, and *kontee*, implying *plenty*, making *mahdamaskontee*. In the other stream of this name, this kind of fish has ceased to appear, being hindered by mill-dams below. The present name of the river and town, sometimes divided into two parts, seems to have been deduced from a desire to make the native words assume an English form. John Cotta married into the family of Richard Wharton, one of the large landholders in Maine, and received here a tract of land as the heritage of his wife. At an earlier date some one of the name may have resided on the river, or been well known as in traffic with the settlers on its banks. Possibly some one of the family may have borne the name of Damaris. At all events, the name *Damaris Cotta* was more agreeable than *Matamascontee*, or *Tamescot*, its abbreviation; and, thus gaining the

¹ Trumbull's note in R. Williams' Key, p. 33. Note 18, in MS. letter referred to Eliot's *kehtahhanash, seas*. Neh. 9, 6.

² Springer's Forest Trees and Forest Life in Maine, p. 179.

³ Lithgow's Dep. Hist. and General Register, Jan., 1870, p. 23, where it is *Cawbisseeconteague*, and explained, "Sturgeon-land."

⁴ MS. map, supposed to have been made by Colonel Church, in reference to the "Second Indian War," 1688-97. It is preserved in the State Archives at Hartford, Connecticut.

⁵ Râle's Dict., *Jongleur, Jonglerie*.

ascendency, has prevailed to the present day. The family name of "Cotter" is found there still. The immense heaps, or rather hills, of oyster-shells, showing the action of fire, are a proof of the former abundance of this bi-valve in this stream, and the long continued visits or permanent dwelling of the Indians on both its banks. In Jackson's Geological Report the quantity is estimated at 44,906,400 cubic feet of shells, capable of producing 10,000,000 casks of lime of the usual dimensions.

DAMASCOVE, Damarin's Cove, or Damaris Cove, could hardly have been derived from Damaris-cotta, for the name "Damarill's Isles" is found in John Smith, (1614,) and suggests that these names had a different origin. The word seems to have included if not describing Pemaquid Bay.

DOUAQUET.—See JORDAN'S RIVER.

EBENECOOK, now the name of a harbor northwest of Southport Island, was probably the name of the island itself. If it were *Ebemécook*, and perhaps it was, it would mean *High-bush-cranberry-place*.

Ibeménecook means *Choke-cherry-place*. Another explanation may be suggested from the Passamaquoddy word *munigu*, an island, and *ook*, place, making *Muniquook*, or, as otherwise, *Menikuk*, changing *m* to *b*. Thus it would be *Bēnēcook*, "The Island," easily changed to the present form.

EGGEMOGGIN, *Edgmoggin*, *Edgmorrage*.—A reach between Deer Island and the towns of Sedgwick and Brooklin. The Indian word *agāmoggin*, *snow-shoes*, may be the correct explanation of this name, having some allusion to this "Reach" which is not now known.

FRENCHMAN'S BAY derived its name from the settlements on the grants made on its borders, to Mons. Cadillac, from Louis XIV, in 1691, to confirm the possession of what was claimed to be Acadia. His granddaughter, Madame Gregoire, in 1787, acquired from Massachusetts a partial confirmation of the original concession.

HARRISEEKET was the name of Freeport; probably denoting the broad part of the river nearest Casco Bay. The word *hallaseget* means to cut with a knife, and is used with regard to cutting fish. An Indian explains it as *Dress-fish-place*.

HIPPOCRASS, improperly Hypocrites, "spiced-wine,"¹ a name probably given to this island by jolly seamen.

HOCKOMOCK.—A story of the Indian times, connected with this headland, implies that the word means "devil." But the dialectic names for the "evil spirit" were *matsi-nivesko*, and *matta-decando*, contracted to *tanto*. In the Massachusetts language, or rather dialect, it was *hobomock*. The present word should be written *Honckamock*, from *honck*, a *goose*, *am* euphonic, (unless it is an abbreviation of *namās*, fish,) and *ock*, place. As applied to the water, as would be natural, it is the equivalent of *Wild-Goose-Bay*. This is one of the words that show how the Massachusetts dialect, in the word *honck*, had an influence in Maine. Where in the Norridgewock for *goose* was *awérér*, in the Penobscot it is *wompato*, and in Etchemin, *wahbegeel*.

HOG.—The name of an island in Portland Harbor, shortened from *quohog*, or, as given in Webster's Dictionary, *quahaug*, the *round clam*. The word is often pronounced *co-hog*. In Massachusetts it was written *quauhaug*; and in Narraganset *po quau-hock*. Râle wrote *pe-kwa-hak*, which he applies to *oysters*. The original word is thought to mean "a tightly closed shell."

When Christopher Levett visited the waters now known as Portland Harbor, in 1623, he reported it as "Quack," probably with the broad sound of the vowel, and gave the place the name of York, where he intended to found a city.² One acquainted with the local pronunciation can easily see how the change was made from the original Indian word.

HUNNIWELL'S POINT.—The name of the person whose name is attached to the point of land between Atkins' Bay and the ocean, at the mouth of the Kennebec, appears in a document dated May 18, 1672.³ The place where his house stood is indicated on a pen-drawn map among the Pejepscot Papers.⁴ The cellar still remains.

ISLE AU HAUT.—This mountainous island received its descriptive name from Champlain, in 1605, when, with De Monts, he coasted from the St. Croix to Cape Cod. It has a small settlement

¹ Webster's Dict. Williamson's Hist., I, 56.

² Me. Hist. Coll., II, p. 84. Willis' Portland, p. 26.

³ Me. Hist. Coll., V, 240. His name is there signed Ambrose Honeywell. His house was standing in 1731, owned by J. Lewis.

⁴ Vol. 6, Map 52.*

on the northeastern side, and a few scattered houses in other parts. The old French mode of writing the last word was "hault." This form appears in the present usage of the residents in that region, who call it "The Isle of Holt." Williamson recognizes the same form. The Indian name, Soolēcook, is translated *Shell Place*. Smith noticed this mountain-island as one of "the remarkablest" landmarks, and wrote, "The highest isle is Sorico, in the bay of Penobscot."¹ The word is the same with the one given above, with a dialectic change by the Coast Indians of *l* to *r*. With the proper termination it would be *Soricoke* or *Soricook*.

ISLESBORO'.—Of this the Indian name is *Betowbagook*, which denotes its position between two channels.

JEREMISQUAM.—The Indians sometimes had English names given them by the early settlers and missionaries. In this region there were Sheepscot John, Robin Hood, (Darumkin,) Daniel Robins, (Ninemewet.) This name marks the name of one who bore that of the melancholy prophet, with the word *wigwam*, *house*, shortened by the English comers to *guam*, and then softened to its present form. *Jeremys-House* in this new mode was made to extend its name to all of Westport.

JORDAN'S RIVER, north of Mount Desert, and connected with Frenchman's Bay, was originally *Douaquet*, of which the meaning is not ascertained.

KEBEC is the same as Quebec, the French form of the word, meaning *narrows*.² Here it denotes the passage, where the Lower Kennebec leaves Merrymeeting Bay, called "The Chops." This name appears on a pen-sketch map, made about 1690, preserved in the archives of Connecticut, at the State-house at Hartford, and supposed to have been drawn from memory and conjecture by Colonel Church, as an aide to the commissioners of New England in preparing for the Indian war about that time. In Perepole's Deposition,³ referred to under "Androscoggin," it is given *Quābācook*. This is the same word with the addition of the locative *ook*.

KENNEBEC.—Of the thirty different forms in which this name has been written, *Kennebeké* is probably the most correct. Divided into its parts, it will be *kenne* or *quenne*, *long*, *nebe*, *water*, *ke*,⁴ *from*. The meaning is "From the long water," that is, "Moose Head Lake," which on Mitchell's map is called *Chenebec*, or *Great Lake*. Its characteristic is length rather than breadth.

KENNEBUNK⁵ is of similar origin with the foregoing; *kenne*, *long*, abbreviated to *ken*, *nebe*, *water*, and *unk*, a locative, *Long-water-place*, and properly so named, as the opening of the Kennebunk River is much the largest bay and best harbor for some distance on the coast.

KOWAHSKITCHCOOK.—There is a difficulty in knowing what is the proper word here to denote Machias River. It is called *Kowasskitchcook*, and this would mean *Pines-great-place*, referring to the upper falls. Also, with more probable correctness, *Kwapskitchcook*, which the Indians call *Rocky River*, to the two falls on which this designation is appropriate. The word *penops*, *rock*, will furnish a part of the first syllable, *k'tch*, *great*, the second, and the last is the locative. *Kw* is obscure, perhaps for *kooé*, *pine*. But *kowopscoo* means sharp-rock-ridge. This may refer to the sharp rocks in the rapids.

LEJOK is a name appearing on a map in Jeffrey's collection, near Blue Hill Bay. The name is remembered in the neighborhood, and some years ago it was given to a ship built at Ellsworth by Mr. Black. In one of the cognate dialects *lechauwak* denotes a *fork*. Perhaps it was applied here to mark two diverging branches of these waters.

MACHIAS.—The original word was *Machisses*, properly *Matchesis*, from *matche*, *bad*, and *sis*,⁶ diminutive. *Bad*, *little*, i. e., *place* or *falls*; and was properly applied here, because, by reason of

¹ Description of N. E., 3d ser., Mass. H. Coll., Vol. VI, 120.

² *Kebe*, qui est un détroit de ladite rivière de Canada. Lescarbot, Vol. II, Ch. XIV, p. 307-(327.)

³ Me. Hist. Coll., Vol. III, p. 333.

⁴ Râle, p. 554, (18, 19.) He gives, ("noms" p. 493.) *Aghenibekki*, la rivière *Aïmesoukkanti*, which is a branch of the Kennebec, taking its name from the falls at Farmington, written on an ancient map in the Pejepscot Collection, Vol. 6, Map 50, 1719, *Amosequonty*; also elsewhere written in a dozen different ways, of which *Amasacenticook* is the one to be preferred, denoting Fish-plenty Place. The stream is "Sandy River;" in the Indian translation, *Penobsquisumquiseboo*. It is not easy to understand what meaning Râle's brief note is intended to convey. The present name is like the earliest, having been called *Kinibequi* by Champlain, in 1605-'6, and Biard, in his relation in 1611. Perhaps a thorough analysis of *Aghenibekki* would show it to mean a tributary to this main river.

⁵ In Folsom's "Saco," from an old MS., *Kennibonke*.

⁶ Vetromile's "Alnambayuli Awikhigan," 443.

the very narrow, winding passage between the crags of the water-course at the lower falls, no canoe could pass through. *Bad-small fall* contrasts it with the larger one about seven miles above, at what was probably the *Kicapskitchcook*, *Mahjais*,¹ which is but a different writing for *Machias*, is explained by *Bad-way*.

MAGOCOOK.—A bay extending from the mouth of Freeport River (Harriseeket) to Flying Point.

MAGUNCOOK, the early name of "Mousam River,"² has the same origin and meaning as *Me-gunticook*.

MAQUAIT, from *maqua*, a bear, and the locative ending, *it*. *Bear-Bay* will well represent the meaning of the word, and the presence of this animal in its neighborhood in early days; though more strictly it may show where the natives went *at the bear*.

MATINIC.—John Smith mentions the three isles and a rock of *Matinnack*.³ The name may possibly be explained like the next. Another form of the word is *Metenic*.

MATINICUS.—Smith refers also to this island, and says, "Metenicus is also three plain isles and a rock betwixt it and Monahigan."⁴ The Indians call it *K'nahgook*, and explain it as "Long Island." This word may be from *kenne*, *long*, and the locative termination *cook*.

The one or the other of these two neighboring islands appear in the history of this coast as early as 1609, the year after the colony under George Popham, at the mouth of the Kennebec, broke up and returned to England. In that year his fort, St. George, was re-occupied by a company engaged in fishing, under a leader who treated the Indians with much harshness and injury. In retaliation for severities such as they had never received from the kind treatment of Popham, they took advantage of a favorable opportunity, killed a portion of the English, and by their intimidations compelled the rest to abandon their enterprise here, and select a new point for their efforts, at a place which they called Emmetanic. In 1611-12 Captain Plastrier, in the French service, in attempting to go to the Kennebec, was taken prisoner by the English, with two ships, and carried to their station, "at an island called Emmetanic,"⁵ thus asserting English supremacy in these waters. This name, and the occupation for which the English sought this island, leads to a partial indication of its meaning; *Amatanic* suggests *namās*, *fish*; the next syllable *tan* may come from *otan*, in the Narraganset dialect,⁶ and *odāne* in the Norridgewock, meaning village. The name "Fish-Town" will not be inappropriate to the location. The terminal syllable in *Matinicus* is not explained.

MAWOOSHEN.—This was a name by which a part of the coast of Maine east of Cape Elizabeth⁷ was known to early writers, some of whom wrote it *Mavooshen*, (*v* for *w*), *Mawoshen*, *Moasham*, and *Mawashen*. This last mode nearly corresponds with the Penobscot word *maweeshen*, which, with a common locative, denotes *Berry-place*, descriptive of several localities near the coast; *Maweeshenook*.

MEDOMAC.—Also written *Madaamock* and *Madahumic*.⁸ This variation suggests the form *Matta-am-ock*; *matta-not*, *namās*, *fish*, *ock*, place; implying the part of the river where the ocean fish are not found, as not being able to pass above the tide-water over the falls called *Chegewunnussuck*,⁹ just above the village of Waldoboro.

MEDUNCOOK.¹⁰—A tide-river separating Cushing from Friendship, and connected with Muscongus Bay.

MEGUNTICOOK.—One of the Camden Hills, taking its name from the small river with falls near its base. The word is elsewhere found as *Ammequanticook*, resolvable into *namās*, *fish*, *konte*, plenty, *cook-place*; and may be uncouthly rendered as *Fish plenty river*. The Indian village near

¹ Cadillac, Memoir in the Hist. Coll., Vol. VI, p. 279, says: "Majais.—The entrance of this river is difficult on account of rocks, which are concealed at high water." The difficulty, however, is at the falls.

² Williamson's Hist., I, 26.

³ In Mass. H. Coll., 3d ser., Vol. VI, 120.

⁴ *Ibid*

⁵ Caryon's edition of the Reports of the Jesuits. 1864, Paris.

⁶ R. Williams' Key, p. 3, Rāle, "Village."

⁷ Gorges' "Brief Narration," B. II, Ch. VII.

⁸ Pejepscot Papers. Records, I, 88; VI, map and paper of 1738.

⁹ Pejepscot Maps. This word is also written *Magowmannussuck*.

¹⁰ Williamson's Hist., I, 59.

the falls, "at the foot of a high mountain, against whose feet doth beat the sea," was known to John Smith as *Mecaddacut*, which represents the sound of the name as he caught it.¹

MENAN, from *menahan*, *island*, by emphasis here, *The Island*, as being the largest, and on the maps "Grand Menan." In the Jesuit Relations it is called *Menano*, perhaps *Menanoke*.

MENANA, from the same word, with a suffix thought to denote separation, as *The Island*, separated from Monhegan. Smith wrote it *Monanis*, suggesting a diminutive, *Small Island*.

MERRICONEAG was originally applied to mark the "carrying-place" on Harpswell Peninsula or Neck, where a short space in one part of this long and narrow tract separates the waters of Casco Bay from those on the east side of this neck. It was often used in early times by the Indians, and is occasionally used by them at the present day. On the west side was a burial-place of the natives, which was discovered a few years ago in plowing, when several skeletons were exhumed, with wampum, copper ornaments, and axes of European make. An Indian company soon afterward passed across, and spoke of it as a well-known place for crossing, and knew of the burial-ground from long tradition. The word in full would be *Merrucoonegan*, from *merru*,² *swift, quick, c* euphonic, and *oonegan*, *portage*. As the portage at Winnegance was considerably longer and very steep, this, by contrast, could be well called *The Quick-Carrying-Place*.

MERRYMEETING BAY.—This name is said to have had two origins; one from the meeting of the waters of five rivers; and the other from a meeting of surveyors and their enjoyment of the occasion on its shores. But it may have been named from any other similar gathering at the house of the first settler, Thomas Purchase, about 1625-'28, or at any later time.

MONHEGAN.³—There is a difficulty in translating the name of this island, called St. George by Captain George Popham in 1607. Comparing it with the definition of Michigan, given by Schoolcraft, from a dialect of the language that reached to Maine, a clue may be found for its interpretation. *Mona*⁴ and *munnoh*⁵ mean *island*. *Monahagan*, changed by use to *Monhegan*, may perhaps mean "The Island of the Sea." Its position, if not this explanation, well entitles it to this distinction.

MONSEAG.—In the interpretation of the inscription on the Dighton Rock, *Chinkwalk*, at Mackinaw, gave to Schoolcraft *moris*, at the *loon*. The terminal syllable is for *place*, and the compound word may be rendered "Loon Bay," *Moosebeck*, or *Moosabeck*. There are other places on the eastern coast, in which the word *moose* occurs; as "Moose Cove," "Moose Neck." Perhaps this name is similarly formed, *moose-nebe-ki*, *i. e.*, *moosbeki*, to indicate the place where the animals came to the water. As this name was written by Colonel Allan, 1777, *Mispeck*, we have an aid for this form, which means *Moose-water-place*. But an Indian explains it thus: *Moosabekik*, a *wet place*; and as Râle, under *mouiller*, gives *mousabégat*, *it is wet*, and *ne-moussebegeh-esi*, *I am all wet*, this must be taken as the more probable interpretation. But it requires an acquaintance with the locality to see its applicability to this narrow strait more than to other places. Perhaps there is a peculiarity in the tidal flow which made it a proper appellation.

MOUNT DESERT.—The Indian name of this island, as given by the natives in Biard's Relation, was *Pemetiq*, from *pemé'te*, *sloping*, and *ki*, *land*. It probably denoted a single locality, which the visitors understood as the designation of the whole territory. The vessel bearing him and his company made their first harbor at a place on the east side of the island, which they called St. Saviour, (Bar Harbor.)

In 1605 Champlain gave its several high elevations the name of "Monts Deserts," which well describes their barren appearance. They were doubtless seen by the earlier navigators, though not represented on their maps, unless under the general name of "les Montaignes," or "Montanas," on this part of the coast.

The earliest historical events on this island are those connected with Biard and his company of Jesuits in 1613, who were proposing to go to *Kadesquit*, (from *kaht*, micmac for *eel*, denoting *eel-stream*, now called *Kenduskeag*.) at Bangor, for the purpose of forming a religious settlement with a

¹ Third ser. Mass. H. Coll., VI, 117.

² Potter's Vocabulary.

³ Also, among twenty other forms, *Menahiggin*, *Monahigan*, (Smith.) The first refers the word to *menahan*, island.

⁴ C. A. Potter on the language of the Pennacooks of New Hampshire.

⁵ Eliot, Rev. 6, 14, etc.

missionary design, under the auspices of Madame de Guercheville, of Paris. While they were tarrying at their first harbor, they were visited by a party of Indians who persuaded them to make their abode at the home of Asticou, their chief, on the west side of Soames' Sound, at a place whose *sloping* surface toward the ocean renders it probable that this was the real *Pemetiq*. In the same summer Argoll, an English captain, with an armed vessel, had come from Virginia to procure the annual supply of cod-fish at the islands of Pemaquid. He there learned that the French had taken possession of territory claimed by the English under the charter of James, in 1606. He sailed thither immediately with authority from Governor Dale, of Virginia, for the purpose of their expulsion. With little resistance he captured the scarcely finished defenses and took all the company prisoners; whom he treated with a severity not at all needed to vindicate the claims of his government for the sovereignty. Here was the first blood spilled in the long contest between these two nations for supremacy on the North American continent.

The ocean views and the picturesque mountain scenery have made this island a favorite place of summer resort.

Its name in the Penobscot dialect is *Ahbāsaunk*, which is the equivalent of *Clam-bake Island*. At the present day there are high banks of clam-shells near the mouth of Soames' Sound, from which the early settlers took away boat-loads to burn into lime. Similar banks are found at Hull's Cove, Indian Point, and several other places; reminding one of the oyster-shell banks at Damariscotta. The living clams are plentiful in all the coves of the island; and a considerable business is carried on at Bar Harbor and Indian Point, during the spring and autumn, in digging them for sale.¹

The Indian tradition is that "long time ago, two, three hundred years or more," their ancestors gathered here for the purpose of feasting on this food. The facts in the case show their skill in fixing the name, which tells of their need and the enjoyment of their semi-annual visits to the place of their "clam-bakes."

MOUSAM, an English local name of the *Maguncook* River.

MUSCONGUS.—No explanation. Conjecture suggests *Moose-kon-koos*, or *mosq*, (a word for bear,) *kon-koos*.

NAGUSSET, the name of the point now called *Abagadusset*, (p. 246.)—*Nagusset*, the name of the point in Merrymeeting Bay now called *Abagadusset*, from *naaq*, a *corner*, a point of land.

NARRAGUAGUS.—The Indians do not explain this word. It may come from *nar-ah-e*, before, and *begicatoos*, the last *g* being changed to *t*, and the meaning may be *Before the Bay*, denoting Trafton's Island at its mouth.

NASKEAG, called by Smith² Nusket, which is probably a mistake for Nasket, as elsewhere written. As fishing was the employment of the Indians for half the year, it was natural for them to designate the places of their resort with the name of one of the principal means of their livelihood. Hence the frequent use of the word *namas*,³ in the composition of words. *Naskeag* is abbreviated from *Namaskeag*, or *kik*, and Nasket from *Namasket*, and represents *Fish-Point*, on Blue Hill Bay.

Namasket is also a place on Taunton River, in Massachusetts.

NEDDOCK.⁴—Hubbard gives it as Nidduck, and Jeffreys (Map 51) nearly follows him. It may be allied to *nitauke*, *my place*. In 1654 it was written Nuttake.⁵ But a better interpretation has been suggested by the late Judge Potter, from the compound word, cited from Râle, *nete-goo'ike*, *clear-land*; and confirmed by a leading Indian of the Penobscot tribe, in the word *nâtuah*, an *intervale*. If the name be written *Net-ock*, the meaning, *cleared-land*, well corresponds with this projection, and its back-lying portion, and the many native implements found in cultivation. The Indians here seldom or never named a cape as such.

The large, irregularly shaped rock, separated by a narrow, navigable channel from the point of this cape, was noticed by Gosnold in 1602, when he saw here several Indians possessing articles of European manufacture; such as a Biscay shallop, with mast and sail, an iron grapple, a copper

¹ Letter from Hon. E. M. Hamor, of Mount Desert.

² On his map, *Lowmonds*, but in his list *Nusket*.

³ Also written *namaes*, *namohs*, *namaas*, in different dialects.

⁴ So Williamson writes it. Vol. 1, 24.

⁵ Hon. E. E. Bourne, Kennebunk, MS. letter.

kettle, clothing of black serge, a hat and band, hose and shoes, blue cloth; and using words that showed that some Basques of St. John de Luz had been in the neighboring waters before him.¹

NEQUASSET.—Cotton's vocabulary furnishes *negut-tika* as eel. R. Williams supplies *mih-tuck-quash-op*, as an eel-pot, the first part of the word denoting the wood of which it is made, and the last part its purpose. The similarity of these words to the name of this place may possibly be sufficient to warrant their union with the fact of the abundance of this kind of fish at the falls on this stream, at the head of the tide, and allow the explanation *Eel-Place*.

NEWAGEN.—The name of this cape has been singularly unfortunate in its orthography, appearing as *Anawagen*, *Andawagen*, *Bonawagen*, *Manawagen*, *Nawagen*, *Norwagen*, and *Caphan-of-waggan*,² and several others. This variety creates a difficulty in the interpretation. Under the word *etroit*, Râle gives *ooskooaighen*. Perhaps the last three syllables enter into this word, which will thus represent the *Narrows* between the southern point of this cape and the adjoining islands. It is mentioned by Levett in his account of his voyage along the coast in 1623, who calls it Cape-manwagan.³ Williamson says of the northern part, the island of Cape Newagen (now Southport) is separated from Booth-bay, to which it belongs, by a narrow passage for small vessels, called *Townsend Gut*.⁴ This description goes far toward warranting the definition of the name here given. Off this cape Josselyn says is the place where Captain Smith fished for whales.⁵

NEW MEADOWS, originally *Stevens' River*, named from a resident on the south side of Merry-meeting Bay, whose house stood near the "carrying-place," about 1640 and later.

OGUNQUIT.—One of the forms of this word, in past days of frequent use, is *Negunquit*, and this suggests that the original was *Oonegunquit*. The word *oonegan* means a *portage*, *carrying-place*, and the termination *quit* denotes locality. The name *Portage-place*, or the *Portage*, conveys a proper designation of a singular ridge of beach-stones thrown up by the action of the ocean near the entrance of a short arm of the sea, to the height of about twenty feet, across which a carriage-road now passes.

OSSIPEE, from *kowâss*, *spines*, and *sêpê* river, *Pine River*, changed from *k'wâs* by dropping the first two letters.

PASSAQASSAWÂKEAG.—One interpretation of this word is the *Ghost-Place*, or *Place of Sights*, and the word *negwâssankamawan*, *I see him*,⁶ may be cited in its favor. Another explanation takes the word *Passagus*,⁷ *sturgeon*, from the St. John's dialect.

PASSAMAQUODDY.—The various orthographies of the name of this bay receive the like interpretation. A Micmac Indian employed by the missionary at Hantsport, Nova Scotia, in translating the gospels, gave the word *Pestumacadie*.⁸ Another form is the Etchemin, *Pascatumacadie*.⁹ The uniform translation is *Pollock-plenty-place*; or, as given by an Indian chief, *Pollock-catch'em-good-many*. The abundance of this kind of fish in this bay still continues.

PEMAQUID.—This name of a harbor and river, with the adjoining territory, appears as early as 1607, in the journal of the Popham colony during its continuance at the mouth of the Kennebec. It has been written in many other forms; but all are easily resolvable into this. It is compounded of *pemi*, *crooked* or *winding*, *ahki*, *land*, place, and *it*, a locative; *pem-ahk-it*, representing *At the Crooked River*, and describing the boundaries of the water, in its tidal portion, by the shores rather than the water itself. Its characteristic "crooked" is marked in contrast with the neighboring John's Bay, which goes out straight to the ocean. In pronunciation the sound of *u* or *w* has been introduced for smoothness. It has been given as *Pemacquid*, *Pemakuit*, and by the Penobscot Indians is called *Pemahkwēduc*.

The history of this place can be given only in the merest outline in a brief note, and need not be attempted, as it is to be furnished in an ample volume.¹⁰

¹ Archer and Brereton's Relations, 3d ser., Mass. H. Coll., pp. 73, 85, 86.

² This last appears in Mason's Will, Williamson; I, 267. Hazard, I, 385, 393.

³ Me. H. Coll., II, 86.

⁴ Hist. Me., I, 55.

⁵ Josselyn's Two Voyages, 3d ser., Mass. H. Coll., III, 347.

⁶ Râle, "Viser." ⁷ *Pahsukus*, Barratt's L. ist.

⁸ *Pestum*, pollock, *acadie*, place of plenty.

⁹ *Pascatum*, pollock. Barratt's pamphlet, taken from Nicola Tenesles. *Pascodum* is given by Sabine.

¹⁰ By Professor John Johnston, LL. D., of the college at Middletown, Connecticut, a native of Pemaquid, now embraced in the town of Bristol.

It may be proper to state that the entrance of this river presented a safe harbor for the many fishermen who were on this coast from Europe as early as 1602, (see Neddock,) and with great frequency afterward. There is great probability that settlements were made here and in its neighborhood before 1620. The late author of the history of Portland considered that the patent granted to John Peirce, in June, 1621, had reference to a settlement made hereabouts, and not to that at Plymouth, for which it has been claimed.¹

The earliest occupation here, of which no known record exists, appears to have been made on the west side of the inner harbor, on Lewis' Point, where cellars, a paved street, a well, the remains of a tan-yard, and the scoria of a blacksmith's shop have been found; as also the indications of a small fortification and terraced grounds about it. When the place grew in importance and demanded greater protection, the inhabitants appear to have removed to the other side of the bay, nearer the ocean, and placed their habitations and defenses on the high part of the peninsula, now known as Fort Hill; having a commanding position on all sides. Here are found beneath the surface, and at one place on the surface, paved streets, in good preservation, and cellars sufficiently numerous to warrant the tradition of a population at one time amounting to five hundred persons. Articles of various kinds of household implements, and those of the artisan, as well as some for military use, have been here exhumed. The well-protected cemetery has preserved some ancient and quaint inscriptions on the grave-stones, while it is said that many of the most ancient have been thrown over the bank to make room for cultivation.

The wars of the French and Indians against the English required the erection of forts for the security of the residents, which, when one after another was captured and destroyed, were probably placed on the spot where the foundation and part of the wall of the last still remain. The date of the building of the first was in 1630. This was destroyed a few years after by a noted pirate, Dixie Bull, who was in 1631, before he had revealed his character, of so good esteem in England as to be a partner with Ferdinando Gorges, 2d, and several others, in a grant of 12,000 acres of land and more at Agamenticus, (York.²) The second fort was erected in 1677, under Governor Andros, and called Fort Charles, and was under the control of the government of New York. It was taken and destroyed, with the neighboring dwellings, by a large body of Penobscot Indians, coming from Castine, in 1689. The next fort, called William Henry, was built in 1692, by Sir William Phips, governor of Massachusetts, to whose authority the right of soil here had previously been ceded. This was captured by the French under Iberville, who planted his mortars on the high grounds on the opposite side of the harbor, and thus compelled a surrender. The last fort was erected by Governor Dunbar, in 1729, called Fort Frederick, and remained till the war of the American Revolution, when it was taken down by a vote of the town, lest it should be occupied by the British to the injury of the cause of liberty. A single farm-house is all the dwelling now remaining, and probably built since the construction of the last fort.

The importance of this place, which bore the name of the "city of Jamestown," may be seen in this extract from an old document in the archives of New York, in which the residents here petition "that Pemaquid may still remain the metropolitan of these parts, because it ever have been so before Boston was settled."

PEMETIQ' the name of a place on Mount Desert.

PENOBSCOT.—The particular locality bearing this name originally has been thought to have denoted the rocky bluff on which the light-house stands at the entrance of Castine Bay, northeast of which is the present township of that name. The meaning is easy to be ascertained, from *penops*, *rock*, and *cot*, one of the locative terminations. The name "Rockland" is a perfect representation of the word, which has been extended by usage to denote a river, bay, county, and town. But a better origin may be found in the word *Pānāwāmpskik*, or, as more closely pronounced by the present Indians, *Pānāpāskik*, long used to denote the "Rocky Falls" and the island near by, on which their village is placed, at Oldtown. The change to the now common name of the river is easily accounted for by the usage of the English visitors on the coast. As early as 1607 the narrative of Popham's colony calls it Penobscot, and in 1614 Smith wrote it much in the present form, *Penobskot*, as the name of a place changed by Prince Charles to *Aborden*, which, as placed on his map, appears to be about the position of Castine. The Indians cling to the ancient name and confine its application to the place of the tribal home. They designate the river, not by one name,

¹ Willis' Hist. Portland, Ed. 1865, pp. 22-23.

² Records of the Council in New England, March 2, 1631, compared with December 2, 1631.

but by several, descriptive of its several parts, as *Baamtugnaitook*, *Chimsiticook*, *Ahguazedie*, and others.

PISCATAQUA.—This river, the boundary between Maine and New Hampshire, was known to Champlain, in 1605, as *Pescadouet*, not very unlike the name as written by Levett, 1623, *Pascattaway*, and to John Smith, in 1614, as *Passataquack*; and in later days, as *Pascataquack*, and similar sounding forms, suggesting a combination, under English treatment, of parts of these two early names; and also the probability that, as in other instances, the different localities on the river were known by different distinctive words, according to their characteristics, thus leading strangers to apply sometimes one, and sometimes another, and again intermingling the two.¹ Kancamagus, (i. e. John Hawkins,) sachem of the Pennacooks, in writing to Governor Cranfield, in 1635, said that his grandfather had lived "at place called Malamaki (Merrimac) rever, other name chef Natukkog and Panukkog, that one rever great many names."

The first of these names being traced to *pesketegove*,² well denotes the *divided* character of the sea-ward portion of this stream, in which unite Spruce Creek, Back River connected with Great Bay, and the Piscasset or Lamprey River. The other name has been derived from *pos* or *pás*, *great*, *attuck*, *deer*, and *auke*, or *ahki*, *place*, with *w* euphonic, making *Pás-attuck-wak*, *Big-Deer place*; and probably denoting the territory on the interior portions of this stream. The same words enter into the composition of *Pautuckaway*. In regard to this word, applied to one of the inland ranges of mountains in New Hampshire, it is related that in colonial times, when the inhabitants in that district had become numerous enough to petition for an act of incorporation as a town, they sent by their agents a *large deer*, caught within its proposed limits, as a present to the governor, Benning Wentworth, who thereupon signified his wish that the new town should be called "Deerfield," thus bearing a name indicative of the gift. Henceforth it took the place of *Pautuckaway*, of which it is a good representation.

PRESUMPSCOT.—This word shows how the tendencies of the early settlers led them to make it conform to some better known English word. Here they adopted the idea of the word *presumption*. There are several modes of writing it, and *Pesumpscot* comes the nearest to the true form, which, divided into its parts, presents *Pes*,³ *much*, *omp*, from *wompi*, *clear*, *shallow*, where the bottom can be *seen*, and *cot*, a locative. The meaning will be *Many-Shallows-River*, corresponding to the many *rips* found in its course, or, as the Indian "sangmau" (governor) at Oldtown explained it, *Rough-places River*.

PUMGUSTIC.—The falls at the mouth of the "Wescustogo," or Royal's River, in Yarmouth.

POMKOOSTOOK.—*Mud-stream-place*, from the *mud-flats* just below.

PURPOODUC.—Spring Point on Cape Elizabeth;⁴ but was used to denote the neighboring territory. The meaning is not known. It has been thought to refer to a *burying-place*, from the Micmac *Pulpooduck*.

QUOHOG.—A bay, on the shores of which were and are found the round clam, denoted *Poquanahock*, by R. Williams, and *Pekwâhak*, by Râle. Both these words are in the plural form. See Hog Island.

ROSIER.—A cape so designated from its wild rose-bushes on its rocky shores; from the French.

SÁBINO, also **SEBÉNOA**, the last two vowels coalescing as in *oak*, and often uniting in Strachey's History, where these names are first found, as in *roap*, *shoare*. The true form would be *Sebéno*. It was the name of a province called by the Indians Sabino, so called of a Sagaino or chief commander under the grand Bassaba. He claimed to be "lord of the river Sachadehoc."⁵ The word appears to have a near connection with *sebe*, a river. The explanation by the Indians is, "where a river makes into the land." As a locality it would apply to *Atkins' Bay*, and may be called *The Bay of the River*. The name has been given to a headland near the mouth of the Kennebec. The sachem may have derived it from the place.

SACO.—This name, like Sakunk in the Delaware dialect, from the root *sák*, outlet, and the locative *o* for *oke*, denotes the mouth of the river. The word by which this river was known to

¹ Belknap's Hist. N. H., Farmer's Ed., 509.

² Trumbull's Ind. Geog. Names, pp. 10, 11.

³ *Pesangwi*, *much*, *Beaucoup*, Râle.

⁴ Willis' Hist. Portland, 96, 191.

⁵ Strachey's Hist. Trav., Cap. IX, 18; X, 26.

Lescarbott and Biard is *Chouacöet*, (pron. shwâ-co-et,) and probably had a connection with the falls a few miles above its mouth; more names than one not being unusual to mark a stream. The word *m'sooahq*, meaning *dead, dry*, as applied to *wood*, followed by *kooe*, *pine-tree*, and the locative *et*, gives *m'soo-ah-koo-et*; easily changed by the French writers to the word presented above. The pines, once abundant there, may have been burned, like the forests around the *Skootak*, (Fire land Lakes,) and the adjoining territory, thus desolated, may have originated the idea of *The dead-pine-falls*. The oldest reported word of the harder utterance yielded to the easier, and *Saco* now denotes the river, falls, and city.

SAGADAHOC.—This name is thus written in Popham's Latin letter to the King, in 1607. It is derived from *sanktai-i-wi*, to finish, and *onk*, a locative, that is, the *finishing place*; where a river ceases to be a river. It means *the mouth of a river*; but was applied geographically by the Indians to indicate the mouth of the Kennebec, which alone of the large rivers preserves its character of a river till it reaches the ocean. The original form would be *Sank-ta-onk*. Purchas places the name in the mouth. It is written with nearly sixty variations,¹ in some of which the first syllable *sank* is preserved. Near its mouth Popham's colony, in 1607, built their Fort St. George.

SASANO.—The name of an Indian, who is proved, by a careful examination of Rosier's narrative of Weymouth's voyage to the Kennebec, compared with Strachey's account of the same and of the Popham colony, and with Gorges' "Brief Narration," to have been a chief of distinction, closely related to the Bashaba, whose name, as appears in Strachey and Purchas, was applied to a by-river of some note, meaning the inland passage by water from the Kennebec to the Sheepscot, and by Smith to Agamenticus.

SEBASCODIGGIN.—Great island in Harpswell. Among the several variations occurs the early form of *Chebascodeggin*. *K'tche* is *great*; *v'bascodegan*² in Penobscot is a *measure*. This solution of the name shows that the natives had taken some means of *measuring* the island, and had found it *great*.

SEGUIN, in Strachey's account of the Popham colony, is called *Satquin*.³ Smith says *Sagadahoc* is known by *Satquin* and four or five isles at its mouth.⁴ The meaning is not ascertained. The present name is a Spanish word.

SHEEPCOT is derived from *seep*, a *bird*, *sis*, *little*, a euphonic, and *cot*, a locative. In the Etchemin dialect *seep* is *duck*. *Seepsisacot* is *Little-bird-place*. The well-marked tradition is that the Indians annually, at the proper season, resorted to this river for the purpose of taking the *young ducks*, which were found in great plenty there.

SISQUISIC.—Cousin's River, Yarmouth.

SKILLINGS, from a family of that name.⁵

SMALL POINT.—Levett, 1623, calls it the "Cape of Sagadahoc." On an ancient map, in India ink, of the Kennebec and the adjoining territory, made by John Small, surveyor, it is called by the present name. The "Small" family was resident in the neighborhood for many years, probably at or near "Small Point Harbor." A field-book of another survey of the Kennebec, made about a century ago, is preserved in the library of the Maine Historical Society.

SPURWINK.—A stream in Scarborough, of which the name has some resemblance to an English local name.

ST. GEORGE'S RIVER.—The name St. George was given by Popham to Monhegan; and after this island became known by its original name, it was transferred to the islands and river now thus denoted.

SUSQUESONG.—Cousin's Island, Yarmouth.

¹ On Johnson's Map of 1754, dedicated to Governor Shirley, this name is given to the *Amorescoggin*, (*Androscoggin*), as the principal of two alternate names, with the remark that it was "so called by Mr. Pople." Sagadahoc R., so called by Mons. Bellin, and also by most or all the ancient plans "Strachey's account of the Popham colony speaks only of this and Pemaquid Rivers, and mentions Gilbert's going with an expedition for the head of the river Sachadehoc," Chap. X. All the indications of his narrative point to the present Androscoggin, and the name being thus applied in Johnson's Map is confirmatory of the traditional use of this appellation.

² In Râle, *Tebakoonigan*, "une mesure."

³ Me. H. Coll., III, 298.

⁴ Mass. H. C., 3d ser., VI, 120.

⁵ Willis' Hist. Portland, Index.

TOLAM.—The aboriginal name for Falmouth,¹ embracing Portland.

TOWESSIC, and, without the locative, *Towass*,² is a point in Woolwich that lies over against the upper end of Arrowsic Island.³ The Indian explanation refers the meaning to "breaking through." This idea will suit the fact that the by-river of some note called "Sasanoa," in the account of the Popham colony,⁴ here passes through a broken place in the high walls of the Kennebec. Perhaps it may be translated "*The Broken Passage*."

TUNK, applied to a mountain in Hancock County; also to a pond. It appears to be the end of a word, as it is in *Carritunk*. As the mountain is called "Big" and the pond "Great," the Indian name may have been in correspondence with these descriptions; for which *K'tche-t-unk* (Chetunk) will be the appropriate word.

WAUKEAG.—Neck, in Frenchman's Bay. This may have been *Wamkeag*, i. e., *Wamkik*. The name may have been taken from *wampi*,⁵ *clear, shallow, (water,)* and *kik*, a locative, from shallow water near it, and may represent "Shallow Bay."

WANSQUEAK,⁶ harbor in Goldsboro'.

WASS is an English surname,⁷ now known in the eastern part of the State.

WEBHANNET is the Indian name of the town of Wells; from *web*,⁸ a *wife*, *hanne*, a *stream*, and *et*, a locative; and may find its representative in *wife-river*. A similar appliance of this feminine relation may be seen in *Squawagusset*, *Squaichan*, *Squawkeag*.

This explanation is illustrated by the fact that about 1649 Chabinoke devised to John Wadleigh "all his interest in Nampscawke, being the larger part of Wells, on the condition of the annual allowance of a bushel of corn to the 'Old Webb,' (i. e., wife,) his mother."⁹

WESCUSTOGO.—Royal's River in Yarmouth. The analysis of this word resolves it into *Kowass-koos-togue-oke*, *Pine-stream-trout-place*; all which describe facts once true. The first syllable has been dropped.

WESKEAG is said to mean Grassy River. But if it be an abbreviation for *Kowasskik*, then it will be Pine River; *ko* being dropped.

WHISKEAG, also in a Pejepscot map written *Worsqueage*, suggesting *Kowasskik*, with the same meaning as in the last definition, *k* being lost in English pronunciation. It is a small stream on the west side of the Kennebec, and is regarded as the third of the "runs of water" passed over by Waymouth and his party in his exploration in 1605, and mentioned in Rosier's Narrative as "the farthest and last we passed," which "ran with a great stream able to drive a mill," as it now does. Pines once abounded here.

WINCHEAG BAY, east of Mount Desert, where M. Cadillac lived.¹⁰ *Winne*, *beautiful*, *k'tche*, *great*, *ag* or *ak*, a locative.

WICHACOWICK, the name applied to Ellsworth River and Falls. This word is of the like composition with the others dependent on the *Pines*. In one of the cognate dialects a word is found written *witsch-wock-ak*, explained as *pine-nuts*, which must be the *cones*; *ak* denoting the plural. Thus, this name will be *witsch*, a euphonic, *kooé*, or *co*, *pine*, *ick*, locative, *Place of Pine-tree cones*, or, more awkwardly, *Cones of Pine place*.

WISCASSET, called by the Indians *Wichcasset*, has been thought to mean "the confluence of three waters." But there is nothing in the composition of the word to sustain the definition. The same may be said of "the place of springs." Its origin is like that of the last word. *Witschkowass*, plural of *koé*, *et*, locative; *Wichkwass-et*, *Place of Pine-Tree Cones*, or *Pine-cones-place*.

¹ J. De Laet, quoted by Williamson, I, 39.

² Or *Towass*.

³ Pejepscot Papers, Vol. I, 121, called *Towasset Bay*, (Back Bay;) Williamson, II, 347, as a boundary of Woolwich. The syllables *et* and *ic* have a similar meaning.

⁴ Strachey, Caput X, Sept 27th.

⁵ *Umbagog* has a similar origin in *womp-be* from *nebe*, *water*, *g* euphonic, *og* or *ok*, a locative, i. e., *Shallow Lake*, corresponding with the fact.

⁶ This may have been *Wompskeag*, with a meaning like the preceding.

⁷ Willis' Portland, 321.

⁸ Woods' N. E. Prospect.

⁹ Folsom's Saco., p. 120.

¹⁰ Williamson, I, 588; note.

APPENDIX No. 15.

CONDENSED ACCOUNT OF M. HELLERT'S EXPLORATIONS ON THE ISTHMUS OF PANAMA, INCLUDING HIS SPECIAL EXPLORATIONS ON THE ISTHMUS OF DARIEN; WITH SUGGESTIONS FOR CONDUCTING A FUTURE SURVEY. BY GEORGE DAVIDSON, ASSISTANT UNITED STATES COAST SURVEY.

GERMANTOWN, PENNSYLVANIA, *March 28, 1867.*

DEAR SIR: Having been at times, during the past year, connected with an organization for exploring the Isthmus of Darien, for a ship-canal, to connect the waters flowing into the Gulf of Darien with the Gulf of San Miguel, my attention was attracted to the several communications addressed by M. Hellert to Humboldt, and to the *Société de Géographie*, published in 1846 in the fifth volume of the Bulletin of that society; and I beg to offer the accompanying condensed information collated from those papers.

A study of Hellert's published explorations in 1844 and 1845 satisfies me that he thoroughly examined the ground, but unfortunately before he reached the upper part of the river Darien or Tuyra, or saw the divide between it and the Atrato, he lost most of his instruments. I judge that he obtained his elevations near that divide by the temperature of boiling water; that he crossed the divide from near Tapanáca; that from his point of crossing and from Paya he noted a marked depression in the divide near the head-waters of the river Paya; and that he reached the Atrato by the Cacarica, which he erroneously calls the river Taréna.

Although the loss of his principal instruments was a sad drawback, yet it must not be overlooked that before this accident he had already examined, crossed, and recrossed several times the isthmus from Veragua to Panama; had familiarized himself with the streams and mountains from Veragua to the Gulf of Darien; had ascended the Chepo, and looked upon the islands of San Blas in the Atlantic from the moderately elevated mountains lying between that bay and the Chepo; had ascended the Chiman, the Congo, Savannas, Marea, Toguti, Pirré, and Chucunaque; measured the distance to which the tidal influence had been felt in each; had measured the altitude of the valley of the Darien opposite Chapigana and at Santa Maria; and from the heights of Mount Paca had looked upon the undulating surface of the *Great Basin of the Darien* and its tributaries. These and numerous other explorations had doubtless familiarized him with relative heights and distances; and with a judgment thus whetted, and keenly alive to the great question at issue, we ought to expect that his compass, thermometers, watch, and aptness at expedients would give some *suggestive* results.

And I am convinced that there is enough shown by his exploration to warrant the use of it as a basis for an exhaustive exploration of this region; especially of the heights lying between the head-waters of the Pucro, the Paya, and the Tapanáca Rivers, and the Atrato or its tributaries.

It is an encouraging feature in his papers that during the months he spent in his Darien exploration he makes no mention of any trouble with the inhabitants, and in fact I cannot see that any need be apprehended when we know that a regular trade by bungoes is kept up between Pinogana, Yavisa, Santa Maria, and the other towns with Panama; that the Indians are engaged in getting out India-rubber on the head-waters near the divide; and that the rubber-seekers of the Atrato are gradually working their way from the left bank of that river up all the small tributaries coming from the Darien heights.

As to the altitude of this divide, I may be allowed to make the following estimate:

From the absence of any figures giving the strength of the current we may assume it as being nothing extraordinary. I take it for granted that it is not stronger than the current of the Chagres, which, for twenty-six miles below Gorgona, falls 35 feet. If we suppose the average width of the Chagres to be 160 feet, and depth 8 feet, with sloping banks, this fall would give a current of about two miles per hour; and my recollection is that it does not average that velocity.

Let us, therefore, assume that from the point where the tide ends in the Darien, six miles above Pinogana, we have a two-mile current all the way to the rapids of Tapanáca, or to the mouth of the

Paya. I think this estimate is large and incline to regard it as only one and one-half miles, because if the current were strong and the descent great, Hellert would hardly propose, as he does, to dam the river in order to make slack-water navigation for the canal itself.

Call the distance to the mouth of the Paya thirty-six miles, and divide it into three lengths of twelve miles each; call the width of the lower part 200 feet; depth, 8 feet; cross-section, 1,472 square feet, &c., &c.; and the current two miles per hour, then the rise per mile would be 0.8 foot, or equal to 9.6 feet for twelve miles.

Call the second part 150 feet wide, 8 feet deep, 1,072 square feet cross-section, &c., and the current two miles per hour; then the rise per mile would be 0.85 feet, or equal to 10.2 feet for twelve miles.

Call the third part 100 feet wide; depth, 7 feet; area of cross-section, 602 square feet, &c., with a current of two miles per hour, then the rise per mile would be 1.25 feet, or equal to 15 feet for twelve miles.

For the four miles to the falls estimate the rise at 2 feet per mile, or 8 feet for the four miles. These sums would give 43 feet rise to the Tapanáca Falls.

From his position at Tapanáca, (I assume at the falls,) Hellert gives 160 feet as the elevation of the culminating crest of the divide above the waters of the Darien in its highest part; this would give the crest an elevation of 203 feet above the tide at Pinogana.

If he obtained this height by the experiment of boiling water, we may readily assume that he made an absolute error of 0.1 degree Fahrenheit in the difference of the two temperatures; this would give an error of 51 feet in his determination of the difference of elevation, and suppose we add this error to 203 feet, we have 254 feet as the highest point where he crossed.

On the other hand, it is to be remembered that he saw a "very sensible depression" north of where he crossed, and also a "sensible depression" from Paya; now let this sensible depression be 54 feet below his crossing-point, and we have an elevation of 200 feet for the divide of the Darien, or Tuyra, and the Atrato, above the tidal waters of the Darien.

Very truly and respectfully yours,

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EXPLORATIONS.

In 1844, M. Hellert explored the province of Veragua, "walking in a zigzag direction from the Pacific to the Atlantic, alternately passing and repassing the great Cordilleras from the frontiers of Costa Rica to Panama; taking the latitude and longitude, in this five months' trip, of the principal points, and especially determining the heights and positions of mountains, the courses of rivers, and their practicability for an interoceanic canal."

He had already examined the districts of Chorera, Los Santos, Nato, and Paretu, in the west and southwest of Panama, and has given the average elevation of the plains in the region of Nato, Penonomé, and Santa Maria, as well as some of the noted mountains.

Up to this point of his explorations he expresses the opinion that the route that has the best show of success is from the bay of Montijo by the San Pedro River to its sources, which are only four leagues from the source of the Conaberal, which falls into the Atlantic. But the dividing ridge is 700 feet above its base, and the northern slope very steep.

The broad conclusion to which he arrives is, that in the province of Veragua there is no practicable route for a canal; and the same may be said of Panama.

Disappointed thus far, he acted upon the advice or suggestion of Humboldt in 1802, that a thorough exploration of the isthmus of Darien would doubtless be rich in geographical results.

In 1845 he started eastward from Panama, and determined the elevation of the longitudinal plateau from Panama to the Chiman, from which to carry his explorations and especially his elevations to the Chepo and Chiman.

He ascended the Payal from the district of Chepo. I understand this stream to be the Chepo itself, because he says, "The Payal from fall to fall pours its muddy waters into the flat, sandy beach of Mariprieta, opposite the small island of Chepillo." Again, he says, "I ascended the Payal for eight leagues, but an insurmountable fall stopped me." Later in the season he ascended the flattened summit of Mount Chipó, (of medium elevation,) extending to the north and to the south and eastward, whence he could see the isles of San Blas. He moreover adds to his observations that the channels of the Chepo, &c., are not sufficient to permit a water-way.

The area drained by the Chepo and its tributaries is about 1,200 square miles, bounded by the Chiman Range on the south, and by the mountains of San Blas (or Chepo) on the north. He then tried the Chiman, but was unsuccessful in finding any available route for a canal.

The longitudinal plateau on Panamá Bay, and lying between the Chepo and Chiman, he places at an elevation of 126 feet above the sea.

He next tried the Congo, emptying into the northwest part of the Gulf of San Miguel, and failed.

From the pueblo of Garachine, in the extreme southern and western part of the Gulf of San Miguel; he recommenced his labors with an examination of the gulf itself; ascended the rivers Savannas, the Marea, the Toguti or Balsas, the Darien or Tuyra, the Chucunaque, the Pirré, the Yapes, the Pucro, and the Tugra, and Cana beyond the Tapanáca Rapids.

He establishes the mouth of the Darien or Tuyra at Bocas Chica and Grande, and says that from elevations of 200 to 250 feet, and distant half a league, the immense valley opens to the north-northeast, to the east, and to the southeast, much depressed, and that in this valley runs the Darien and its tributaries.

To take in the general topography of this great basin of Darien he ascended the heights of Mount Puca or Paca, and saw "a river whose waters are like those of the Mississippi, much higher than the land which incloses them on the east." It is curious that from his point of observation he does not appear to have seen the depression in the Espiritu Santo Mountains at the head-waters of the Pucro, Paya, and Tuyra.

This great basin is bounded on the northwest by the mountain range Chiman; on the north and northeast by the mountains of Tuquera; southeast by the mountains of Espiritu Santo, and south by the lateral spur from the latter, embracing Mounts Para and Zapa, whence rise the Pirré, Toguti, and Marea.

We estimate this basin to embrace over 3,600 square miles.

The vast amount of water brought down by the Darien and its affluents in the dry season is referred to several times as likewise indicating the extent of the great basin.

This astonishing volume of water also indicates in a marked manner the *lowness* of the upper parts of the different valleys of this basin, and points to the existence of marshy ground. We cannot estimate the volume, because no data are given of the strength of the current or the area of the cross-section.

In his explorations, M. Hellert ascended the Savannas, and found the tidal influence extending more than five leagues up the river; in the smaller rivers Marea and Toguti, it ascends from two to five leagues; and in the Chucunaque, seven leagues higher than the village of Yavisa. The distance of tidal influence is not given for the Pirré; but his description is interesting and important, and is here introduced:

"The river Pirré empties into the Darien, at the village of Real de Santa Maria; it is 600 feet wide at its mouth, and carries this width for more than two miles. In ascending, its depth at low tide is between 18 and 15 feet. This village so favorably situated at the angle of two large and deep streams, and on the slope of Mount Pirré, may become a depot," &c. The plain toward Mount Pirré is represented as of the highest fertility, and the region full of fine timber, from which the largest canoes are made. Some of the "Bungoes," more than 75 feet long and 6½ feet wide, were cut from single trees.

We may conclude that in the river Pirré the tidal influence is felt for at least three leagues.

Up the Darien or Tuyra the tide ascends two leagues above the town of Pinogana, or four and one-half leagues above the mouth of the Chucunaque.

This inland influence of the tide in the Darien and its tributaries reveals the nature of the extraordinary depression of the great basin and its deep inclosure in a deposit composed of recent formation.

The Upper Darien, reckoning as such the main stream above the Chucunaque, is fed by a great number of rivulets, often very deep, taking their rise in three *ranges* of mountains, named the Cerro de Pirré, Paca, and Espiritu Santo. It is evident that he here includes the "Altas de Pucro," lying between the northern extremity of the "Montanas del Espiritu Santo," and the southern extremity of the mountains of Tuquesa. The names of the principal tributaries of the Upper Darien are given as follows: the Pirré, the Tuña, Cochina, Uruti, Tumbisava and its tributaries, Hyati, Anisa, Lepé, Cupé, Citum, Spalisa, Piedras, Paca, Cruz, Limon, Paya, Cana, &c., &c. And the aggregate volume of water contributed by these streams is equal, if it does not exceed, that of the four larger rivers of the Lower Darien.

This amount of water supply is evidently based upon no calculation, because the area of country drained would indicate it as too great, unless the rain-fall in the nearer region to the Atrato is much greater than toward the northwest, and we know that the rain-fall in the Atrato Valley is enormous.

The Yapes, where M. Hellert lost most of his instruments by the capsizing of a canoe, he describes as a rapid tributary of the Upper Darien, above the town of Molineca. The Pucro, the Darien or Tuyra above the Tapanáca Rapids, and the Cana, which he ascended, are not described.

We may well believe his assertion, however, in regard to explorations of several months in Darien, that "there are few rivers which he has not ascended as high as possible."

Commencing at the head-waters of the Darien, he gives the following general remarks on its course. Rising in the mountains of Espiritu and taking the name of Tuyra, its first general direction is to the north one-fourth east. After receiving the Sedeganti and Cana, its course to the rapids of Tapanáca is north-northeast, then north-northwest to the Pucro; then abruptly west for 8 or 9 leagues; thence west northwest to the Gulf of San Miguel. Its upper part, from the Pucro to its source, may be estimated at 26 to 30 leagues, which will give a total of 49 or 55 leagues for its length.

Following the Darien from its mouths, Bocas Chica and Grande, he describes it as follows:

From Boca Chica to the village of Chapigana, 11 miles, a small chain of hillocks, about 100 feet high, borders the river at a distance of $1\frac{1}{4}$ miles. Opposite and nearly east of Chapigana the banks are low, and the valley "en face" of Chapigana he estimated from observation to be 45 feet above the level of the sea. From the river Marea to Islas los Lagartos, the left bank is very low, and in several places periodically submerged. A great part of the banks of the Lower Darien may be said to be covered with mangroves, and periodically submerged. From Santa Maria, at the mouth of the Pirré, to the rapids of Tapanáca, the banks are from 30 to 80 feet high, sometimes more, rarely or never less, their slope more or less abrupt, and they perfectly shelter from inundations the upper region bordering on the Darien. In fact he declares, in another connection, that good roads for tracking can be built on the banks of the upper river.

The valley of the Darien, in the vicinity of Santa Maria, he estimated from observation to be 153 feet above the sea, and he used that as a base for his subsequent observations. The general incline of the banks of the river is from east to west, with the longitudinal course of the valley.

The Upper Darien he could not study so well on account of the loss of his principal instruments, and because of the difficulty of penetrating the *marshes*, and having to swim a large number of streams.

From Boca Chica to Molineca, four miles above the mouth of the Chucunaque, the depth of the river decreases, with few exceptions, regularly from 44 to 13 feet. From 6 miles above Pinogana, where the tide ceases to flow, (and 13 miles above Santa Maria,) to the rapids of Tapanáca or Pelisa, the depth of the river in the dry season is never less than from $8\frac{1}{2}$ to $10\frac{1}{2}$ feet. In the wet season the level of the water is from $5\frac{1}{4}$ feet to $11\frac{1}{2}$ feet, and occasionally as much as $16\frac{1}{2}$ feet higher than in the dry season, according to localities.

In a subsequent paper he says the depth of the Darien in the dry season, from Santa Maria, at the mouth of the Pirré, near Chucunaque, ranges from 4 meters (=13 feet) to 2 meters, (=6½ feet,) and that during the wet season it often rises to 8 meters, (25 feet,) but oftener to 5 meters, (16½ feet.)

The wet season he mentions elsewhere as July, August, September, October, and November.

The Darien flows generally over a bottom of sandy mud, coarse sand, and small stones. No rock is indicated in its whole course from its mouth to a little below the rapids of Tapanáca; and in no part of M. Hellert's various papers do we find the least intimation of any rapids on the river. This is consistent with his general project for the course of a canal, wherein he proposes to use the *Upper Darien itself*, from the rapids of Tapanáca downward, or by the *Paya and Darien*; and he thinks that in only thirteen to fifteen places would it be necessary to dredge below the falls to get the adequate depth of water for large vessels.

The heights which separate the basin of the Darien from the valley of the Atrato begin not far from the village of Pucro, which, on a map of 1851, is placed 10 miles above the mouth of the Pucro and 3 miles above its confluence with the Topaliza.

Standing on the heights of Pucro, (480 feet,) the depression between the mountains of Tuquesa on the north, and the mountains of Espiritu Santo on the southeast, is very marked, no longer partaking of the nature of mountain but of "heights;" while "the immense valley is easily seen through which these two great rivers (Darien and Atrato) flow at such a small distance from each other." The distance which separates the Upper Darien from the Lower Atrato may be traveled in six hours, but the foot-traveler is obliged to make many windings in this wooded country. It is probable that an exact study of the ground would develop a more direct road, and reduce the distance to not much over 10 miles.

From this point—Pucro—at a slight elevation are distinctly seen the fires burning in the southwest in the village of Para, on the Darien; in the south those of Tapanáca, near the rapids; and in the east one-fourth south, the valley of the Atrato.

The heights separating the valley of the Darien and the Atrato, begin, as before stated, not far from Pucro, pass between the Cacarica,¹ a tributary of the Atrato, and the rapids of Tapanáca or Pelisa, and lose themselves beyond the ancient gold mines of Cana, (a tributary of the Darien,) in one of the lateral spurs of the mountains of Choco, in which rise the Pirré, Toguti, and Marea.

In this depression, nearly four leagues long, the heights rise only 170 feet above their base. But at one place in this divide, to the north of the point,² where he passes from one river to the other, (Darien to Atrato,) there is quite a sensible depression in the chain of hillocks, but the guides refused to follow this line, pretending they did not know the road. He adds "that if this depression is very great it may be of much assistance for further study, although by it the distance may be further from the Darien to the Lower Atrato, by a mile or two."

"The culminating crest of this chain of hills, which on the east border the Darien and separate it from the valley of the Atrato, has an altitude of nearly 160 feet above the level of the waters of the Darien in its most elevated part, one mile distant on the right of the rapids of Tapanáca." At two miles to the north of this culminating point, the ground gradually slopes over an extent of 13 miles; then it becomes an almost horizontal plain over an extent of $7\frac{1}{2}$ miles to the shores of the Atrato.

But if the Darien is descended from the rapids of Tapanáca to the village of Paya, nearly $7\frac{1}{2}$ miles lower down, a very sensible depression is noticed in the dividing ridge, of which a distinct view is obtained from the heights of Pucro. "If this depression offers the facilities I suppose it does, there is no doubt that the canal ought to start from Paya, and not from Tapanáca."

Concerning the geological formation of this ridge, we derive no information from M. Hellert's reports. He says, "The heights which separate the Darien from the Atrato are all composed of the *débris* of surrounding lands, and rest everywhere upon beds of clay and marl." The ground is composed of recent alluvium, and no rock is indicated in the banks or bottom of the river except a little below the rapids of the Tapanáca. What are the characteristics of the rapids or falls of the Tapanáca are nowhere mentioned; whether an absolute fall over a rocky wall, or of the nature of rapids over a steep rocky bottom.

Of the banks of the Atrato he declares that he has not seen the immense marsh between the

¹ Hellert always speaks of this stream as the Taréna, which is really not a tributary of that stream. That the Cacarica is here intended is proved from the fact that in his estimate of distances for the canal, &c., he places the mouth of this stream $22\frac{1}{2}$ miles from the Taréna mouth of the Atrato, while on the Admiralty Charts the distance is laid down as 25 miles.

² Hellert probably passed the divide from near the rapids of Tapanáca, or the village of Tapanáca, to the Cacarica.

divide and the mouth of the Atrato as laid down on most maps. Its shores are really very low, but notwithstanding the extraordinary drought which prevailed in 1845 over all the coast from the Gulf of Maracaibo to Cape Tiburon, he cannot admit that such a marsh could become dry in the course of a year, as he appears to have found it.

His conclusion is from a concurrence of natural facilities and knowledge of the difficulties attending other isthmus canal projects, that the Isthmus of Darien is the only one by which any canal project can succeed promptly and at limited expense. He denominates it the real key to the Pacific.

M. Hellert frequently refers to his chart as presented to the Society of Geography for their examination; but it is not published with the proceedings.

Of the climate on the Darien, and of this great transverse break, he says: "The east winds blow from 6 a. m. to 7 p. m. During the night the westerly wind prevails, and in the rainy season the wind is from north and northwest."

A short but instructive table is given of the mean observed temperature taken at from 2.6 to 3.0 feet below the surface of the soil, and in the shade, on the Isthmus of Panama, and in the Darien, in 1844 and 1845. His hygrometric observations show that he was at Santa Maria in March, 1845; Pinogana, in April, 1845; Yavisa, in May, 1845; Marea, in June, 1845; and Chapigana, from July 1 to July 8.

ISTHMUS OF PANAMA.		ISTHMUS OF DARIEN.	
	Fahr.		Fahr.
1844. At Chagres	82.2	1844. At Isla Iguana.....	78.3
Panama	84.6	Chapigana.....	79.2
Chorera	79.5	Santa Maria	77.5
Penonomé	79.0	Molineca	77.9
1845. Portobello	81.7	1845. Cana.....	75.4
		Atrato	78.4

PLAN FOR EXPLORATION OF THE RIVER DARIEN, ETC.

I suppose the party to be limited to the smallest number that can produce results combined with accuracy, and give mutual protection; and that a Government vessel carries it to the Gulf of San Miguel, and as far up the river as Chapigana, whence it may be forwarded in launches to Pinogana, 20 miles higher up. This party should be composed of a chief engineer and three assistant engineers, with probably two officers volunteering from the ship.

The chief engineer should control the organization of the party and the plan of work under general instructions, limiting the area of exploration. When the details of the survey have been commenced he will pass into the country to study the general topography of the section embracing the problem at issue. I suppose that he can start on this exploration with an officer from the ship, one of the handiest men of the ship as cook, and an interpreter, besides the canoe-men.

The first, second, and third assistant engineers are to have each a canoe, with three canoe-men in each; a handy man for general assistance from the vessel, and an interpreter; the first assistant to have charge of the surveying details, under directions of the chief, and to make all the observations with the gradienter for level, courses, distances, and altitudes. The man with him should be able to record the observations, and to regularly duplicate them each night. A regular cook should accompany this party.

I would start the party with forty days' navy rations, with but few luxuries, and the simplest outfit for cooking, &c. Or if rations could be sent after the party and overtake them, it should start with twenty days' rations and have twenty or thirty more to follow.

Two tent-flies might be carried, but the canoe-men make necessary shelter for the night from leaves, &c.

An officer from the ship should have charge of a heliotrope on the heights of Pirré or Paca, to give and receive signals, if practicable; to observe the azimuths of signals, &c.; and to direct at Pinogana or Santa Maria a full series of tidal observations.

Two plans of general operation are open for prosecution. To ascend the Darien River at once

with the whole party to the divide, discover the depression, and work either to the Atrato or down the Darien. With a vessel on each side, this has the advantage of always approaching the sources of assistance, and the engineers being in good health can be engaged in exploring for the depression. It has the great disadvantage of commencing an important investigation without experience in a country where this, and a knowledge of the native character, are of the greatest importance.

Operations should commence from Pinogana, where the river is supposed to be about 100 yards wide, with a depth of 8 or 10 feet. This town has bungoes trading to Panama, and part of the country in the vicinity is used for raising stock. An interpreter can doubtless be obtained here, and canoes and canoe-men. Canoes rate at about 80 cents (silver) per day, (locally known as a "soft dollar,") and canoe-men at the same per head, although their usual rates are barely half these prices. Much more work can be gotten from the natives by a judicious use of presents.

While the arrangements for ascending the river are being made, the observations to be hereafter detailed should be made at Pinogana, and an examination of the whole basin of the Darien made from the heights of Paca or Pirré. I consider it very important to make this attempt because this mountain (or mountains) as laid down on the maps is nearly on the prolongation of the Pucro, Paya, and Tapanáca, and possibly the great depression at their headwaters may be visible. If it is, I would open space enough on the eastern side of any height in the vicinity to show signals by heliotrope or fire, toward the depression; and would run a line of levels, courses, and distances to the bench at Pinogana so that zenith distances observed from the divide would be of service. It may be very useful and important to communicate information either way by heliotrope flashes; for this purpose a system similar to that which I devised in 1851 for differences of longitude may be used. Appendix B will explain the manner of using signals. The Davidson heliotrope, weighing six to ten pounds, can be easily used for this work.

Pending the arrangements for starting, I would determine the latitude and longitude (by chronometer) of Pinogana, with observations for azimuth and variation.

The six-inch Gambey vertical circle is preferable to less accurate but more portable instruments, because it has good illumination for night observations if necessary, is better graduated, and admits of repetitions by double-zenith distances directly and by reflexion. It is also easily and rapidly manipulated.

For latitude, by night, observe at least two sets of six repetitions, each of double-zenith distances, on a north star near culmination, and the same upon one or more south stars, noting the times by the chronometer, recording position of the circle, the temperature, and the barometer.

If night observations are impracticable, then observe double-zenith distances of the sun, on both limbs, before and after meridian, directly, and, if practicable, by reflexion; six repetitions can easily be made in eight minutes per set, including the reading of the verniers and levels.

For time, observe double-zenith distances of two stars nearly east and west; two sets of six repetitions each on each star, noting times, levels, barometer, thermometer, face of circle, &c.

If night observations are impracticable, observe upon the sun's upper and lower limbs, when not less than 20° high; two sets of six repetitions should be observed upon each limb. Reverse the face of the instrument.

Observe for time whenever opportunity permits. If practicable, determine the temperature of the earth three feet below the surface and in the shade; repeat this experiment at the divide and other points.

All the observations by day may be made between 8.00 a. m. and 0.30 p. m., or between 11.30 a. m. and 4.00 p. m.

If it is at all feasible to carry the vertical circle over the whole route, it will add vastly to the value of the results, and to our geographical knowledge. It certainly can be taken by canoe to Pucro, Paya, Tapanáca, and intermediate points. It would be of great importance at the mouth of the Cacarica to determine the latitude at least.

Tidal observations should be established at Pinogana upon first reaching there; the readings of the tide-gauge should be referred to a bench-mark, and this in turn should be referred to the point where latitude and other observations are made.

For the instrumental outfit of the chief engineer and assistants see Appendix A.

Leaving the surveying party, composed of the first, second, and third assistant engineers, to continue the work up the Darien, as detailed hereafter, the chief engineer should ascend the river, making every exertion to obtain a view of the divide and of the depression noticed by Hellert in that divide; ascend the Pucro to the Pucro village, and, from the heights near it, ascertain the general position of the divide, and determine its direction; also whether the natives had any regular trail from Pucro across it to the Atrato; observe for latitude and longitude and make observations for altitude and bearings of all well-marked objects, especially of such as might be observed upon by the surveying party. Mounts Pirré and Paca should be particularly observed upon, and some mountains to the southward in the vicinity of Cana. From the position occupied, ascertain by hand-level and aneroid the height above the Pucro. Hellert says that from this vicinity he saw the fires of Para on the Darien burning in the southwest; in the south those of Tapanáca near the rapids; and in the east one-fourth south, the valley of the Atrato; while the whole basin of the Darien lay at his feet.

Ascend the Darien to the rapids of Tapanáca, and the Indian village of Tapanáca, on the Tapanáca, which rises in the divide, according to the maps. Hellert says that the culminating crest of the divide has an altitude of nearly 160 feet above the level of the waters of the Darien in its most elevated part, one mile distant on the right of the Tapanáca Rapids, and that from this coast he saw a "sensible depression" to the northward. This depression he also saw from Paya Village, which he places nearly opposite the mouth of the Paya. Measure the height of this culminating crest above the Darien by hand-level and aneroid, and, if possible, determine its latitude, and observe upon all marked objects and the smoke from any villages. The approximate position of the "sensible depression" may be determined from here.

Descending the Darien to the mouth of the Paya, go up the Paya as far eastwardly as it runs, and at the village near the divide procure guides, if necessary, to cross the divide by the regular trail used by them; determining, with hand-level and aneroid, the summit of the divide, and the depression of the point where the Cacarica or either of its tributaries is struck.

If it is not practicable to obtain guides who know and can point out the greatest depression in the divide, and if the previous evidence from points on the river, from Pucro and from Tapanáca, still points to this locality, the judgment of the chief will have to devise means of finding it through an almost impenetrable forest.

If the divide is generally flat-topped, I take it for granted that wet ground will exist at the flattest or at the lowest point, and that the drainage from it will in a measure afford some indications. Moreover, the natives would not cross regularly at a part subject to overflow, but where they would have a fair path even in the wet season.

My impression is, that with a good number of judicious presents much can be learned and accomplished; but not hurriedly in this "pocopoco" country. Kindness will do much; force and bad temper, nothing. Even if the natives refuse to communicate any knowledge of the divide, it may be practicable to ascertain from some elevated point, or from some high tree, very nearly its position.

In the mean time, preparations should be under way for getting two or three canoes upon the Cacarica by carrying them across or by building.

If the depression lies between the head-waters of the Paya and Cacarica, as Hellert believed, I think its general position will be reduced to narrow limits, from the preliminary observations. If it is necessary to wait for the arrival of the surveying party to make a detailed and exhaustive search, I would carry the regular work up the Paya, and all its tributaries coming from the eastward, as far as deemed necessary, and leave benches *en route*. Descend the Paya to the trail over the divide and run courses, distances, and levels over it, or on a line opened for the purpose to the Cacarica, and carry the regular survey, to the northward, up that stream or its tributary, and up every tributary coming from the westward. This work would exhibit the approach or divergence of these streams, the rate of increase of elevation, and its relation to the levels over the trail. From this a better judgment can be formed of the locality to be examined specially. The same system of exploration should be made near any indicated depression.

But at this stage of the expedition the determinations of the chief engineer and of the sur-

veying party will have sufficiently developed the position of the greatest depression in the divide, and so will limit the final exploration to within comparatively narrow bounds.

Across the divide run a line of levels, courses, and distances to the stream flowing to the Atrato, and down that stream, as indicated in the duties of the first assistant engineer.

In this general plan it is supposed that a United States vessel is lying on each side of the isthmus to assist the party, and aid, if needful, in the actual exploration. The vessel on the Gulf of Darien might make an examination of the mouths of the Atrato, and send a party to the mouth of the Cacarica, 25 miles from the mouth of the Caño Taréna, to determine its position, and possibly to ascend the Cacarica.

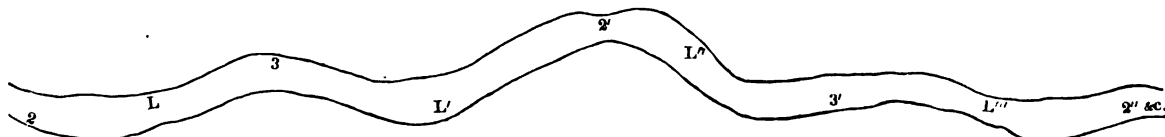
The vessel in the Darien River could make a thorough examination of the Darien from Boca Chica, or from Savannas River, to Pinogana; and if this was not completed it could be finished by the surveying party upon its return from the divide. In this survey it would be advisable to ascend and survey the Pirré River, as Hellert's notes indicate it as a valuable stream on account of its depth and width.

Hourly barometric observations should be made on the vessels from 5 a. m. until 7 p. m., and the amount and time of rain-fall should receive special attention.

OUTFIT AND DUTIES OF THE FIRST ASSISTANT ENGINEER.

Gradienter.—Start from Pinogana with levels referred to bench-mark of the tidal observations. Select a position as far in advance as practicable, choosing one that combines most advantages for leveling, for distances and courses, and for the determination of outside objects of topographical interest, and to check the work. For these purposes it is desirable to occupy both sides of the river alternately, or the reaches of the river, in such a manner as to obtain views to the northward and southward, especially at the outset.

The plan of a day's work would be something in this order :



L, L', L'', &c., represent the successive positions of the first engineer with the gradienter, which, instead of spider lines liable to destruction in a drenching, should have marks ruled on parallel plain glass and secured to the diaphragm so as to admit of the usual adjustments; 2, 2', 2'', &c., those of the second engineer, with one of the leveling and distance rods; 3, 3', 3'', those of the third engineer, with the second leveling and distance rod. No. 2 is the position of the back rod at the start; L, that of the gradienter; and 3, that of the fore rod, selected by himself to see L and the next anticipated position of the instrument at L'. L observes upon 2 for level, course, and distance, and signals that he can go forward to choose a position (2') for himself that will see the two anticipated stations L' and L''. Then L observes upon No. 3 and signals him to that effect, leaving him to make any examinations of the stream or other duties detailed; and after making any extra observations, L moves to L' at once, observes upon No. 3, and signals him to remove to a position (3') beyond 2' that will permit observations from the yet unselected station L''. This system of progress is available for going down as well as ascending a river.

Probably three miles per day can be made in this manner. The records should be duplicated every night; if practicable, the courses and distances should be plotted to allow any directions made upon the divide to be fixed. The note-book ruled in squares throughout, so that the scale may be one inch to a mile, should show the general plan of the river, features of bank, &c.

From the starting-point, and from every available position that will see the greatest number of natural objects, observe the bearings of any two well-marked and readily distinguished mountains, situated to the east-northeast, and also the peaks of Pirré and Paca to the southward. The positions of these mountains will, in the earlier part of the work, become well enough determined to serve as points upon which bearings can be taken from the higher reaches of the river, and thus

aid in testing the courses and distances, and in some degree the elevations, especially in the event of the gradiometer being lost and recourse had to less reliable methods. Mounts Pirré and Paca would appear to be well situated for this purpose; they lie southward of Pinogana ten or fifteen miles, according to different authorities. None of the maps indicate isolated peaks to the eastward, yet some marked object will doubtless present itself to the observer.

Observe vertical angles with the gradiometer upon all objects, as adding to our geographical knowledge as well as verifying that already acquired.

Hellert says that from the heights of Paca he was able to overlook the great basin of the Darien; and from the peculiar position of this mountain on the prolongation of the valleys of the Pucro, Paya, and Tapanáca, it may be very desirable to open a view to the eastward upon some one of these heights that will permit observations toward those streams and the divide, and admit of vertical and horizontal angles being measured to test the altitudes, courses, and distances, and for communicating signals by heliotrope between observers on these heights and others on the divide. If its position is determined before the exploration starts up the river, the observer on the divide may with certainty direct his heliotrope to the Paca station. A system of heliotrope signals is described in Appendix B.

When on that part of the river running generally north-northwest and south-southeast, commencing a few miles below Pinogana, every opportunity should be seized of bluff bank, hillock, and reach of the river to look for the depression which will lie between east and southeast. Consult Hellert for the extent of this general depression and for the break or breaks which he saw in it.

Observations of this kind upon the divide will limit the extent of the exploration and possibly fix the position of the lowest point in it. Always observe the angle of elevation of the lowest part of this divide, stating in the notes whether the view is clear, &c. Note also the time and state of the barometer and thermometer.

The record of the readings upon the leveling rod made by the observer himself, and of the distance wires and horizontal circle, will be entered according to the annexed form, Appendix C.

The opposite page of the record should be used for vertical angles and every particular relating to the operations; nothing whatever should be left to memory, and too many notes cannot be given.

Each day, when the labors are closed, drive a stake in the border of the stream near the encampment, make a notch on the stake to mark the surface of the water, and note the time and weather; when leaving next day measure the rise or fall from the mark, and state time, weather, &c. Note particularly the rain-fall in any available vessel set out during the stay for the purpose. If the tin pan, kettle, or pot should not be cylindrical and flat-bottomed, state dimensions.

Make a recognizable bench-mark each night upon some prominent tree.

Each morning and night make special examinations for the *mean velocity* of the stream by floats, and its width and cross-section by actual measurement and sufficiently numerous soundings with the sounding-rod. Appendix G gives some of the details of the operation, with formulæ for deducing results, if desired in the field.

Determine the position of the mouths of all tributaries, and whenever practicable their size, &c. Note the names given by the natives.

This system of observation will be carried up the stream or its tributaries as indicated by the results of the exploration of the chief engineer, and this survey, to the point or points where the divide is to be crossed. Although regular paths exist across this divide and are regularly used by the inhabitants of Pucro, Paya, and Tapanáca, yet it is more than likely that lines will have to be opened; for this purpose, as well as for clearing, for encampment, and shelter, the canoe-men should carry machetes with them.

Where the stream or streams are left in order to cross the divide, a bench-mark specially indicated should be made, and also a secret mark upon some easily recognized object. The same should be done at the summit, and on the northern and eastern sides of the divide when reaching any of the tributaries of the Atrato. From these points observe, if practicable, upon all the mountains in view, and on the smoke of villages, &c.

In descending the tributary toward the Atrato, I presume it practicable to work with three

canoes as in ascending the Darien, in which case the same system of river-work will be carried out. Should only two canoes be available, the system of back and fore sights should be persisted in, and the operation of leveling, &c., will be exactly similar to that on land. This system of levels should be carried to the swamp-waters of the Cacarica or Atrato; but the courses and distances through to the Atrato, where the latitude should be determined.

The maps indicate that the Cácarica, or some large tributary of the Atrato, empties into the Atrato, in latitude $7^{\circ} 57\frac{1}{2}'$, after coming twenty or thirty miles from the southward, along the east base of the mountains of Espiritu Santo and the divide, converging slightly from parallelism with the Atrato, and that in its course it swells into several small lakes and ponds. Hellert says, there is no marsh between the divide and the Atrato, but the above formation given in Trautwine's map, and the existence of swamp mentioned in his notes, would indicate much overflowed land even at the dry season. At the wet season I deem it next to impracticable to follow this stream through the marsh, but would run for the Atrato by compass.

In the dry season, even without guides, it is deemed practicable to follow the Cacarica, though every lakelet might make it necessary to search its borders for the outlet. When making such an examination, leave a well-blazed tree and a large white muslin signal nailed to the tree where the stream enters the lake, as a mark for returning as well as for observation in course and distance; and so for the outlet of each lake. A piece of white muslin of given length serves not only for courses as a mere signal, but for obtaining the distance across, by the wires of the gradienter, and leaves the canoes free to search for the outlet. The work thus progresses rapidly.

If all the signals thus set up are destroyed before returning, the courses and distances and blazed trees will mark the track.

The *steel barometer* (Würdemann's) should be read every morning before starting, and the aneroids of the assistants should be compared and noted; also at night as soon as practicable after closing operations. The height with reference to the bench-mark should be noted. Practice with this barometer should be acquired before starting, by several times filling it to give facility and knowledge in manipulation. An extra glass cylinder should be carried lest the one in the barometer be broken; and an extra steel cap to cover the top of the mercury column should be supplied. One pound of mercury is sufficient. Instructions for the use of the steel barometer are given in Appendix F.

Aneroids must be taken that are the least liable to derangement from jars; the coefficient of temperature should be carefully determined, and the instrument afterward tested for altitudes over a railroad with large, well-known grade. Of course, the barometer observations are not strictly to be relied upon; but they afford opportunity to test the value of their results in such undertakings.

Appendix E gives the correction for horary changes of the barometer, as deduced from the Girard College observations.

At night the observations of the first engineer should be duplicated, copies placed in charge of the second assistant to provide against the loss of originals, and a general comparison of the day's work should be promptly made.

OUTFIT AND DUTIES OF THE SECOND AND THIRD ASSISTANT ENGINEERS.

For outfit of instruments see Appendix A.

In running the levels up or down the rivers the general plan of selecting stations, &c., is detailed under the duties of the first engineer, and need not be here repeated.

As soon as the second or third engineer has selected the position for his rod, and before the first engineer is ready to observe, he should make some soundings across the stream sufficiently numerous to get the accurate cross-section of the river. Also find the width of the river by a line immediately afterward measured with the tape line held in reserve for such purposes. If practicable, let the staff section be selected near and above the mouth of a stream; and particularly note the streams passed, their size, if practicable, and general appearance of current, &c. Get the cross-section of the tributary near which the staff is placed.

When placing the leveling-rod in position drive a short stub into the ground, and place the foot of the rod upon it so that in turning round to face the back observation no change in height

will take place. If the station must be in the water, drive in a stake so that the top will be near or at the surface, and note the conditions and its distance from the bank, the height of the bank, &c. If the staff must necessarily be in deep water, note the surface-reading, &c.

The height and slope of the banks at each station and their formation will be particularly noted; the marks of floods will be important.

A sounding-rod can be easily made and marked by notches; care must be taken to keep it perpendicular when sounding. When it is not handy or advantageous to use it, employ the line with a one-pound lead; note the nature of the bottom, and the approximate velocity of the current; the length of the canoe will serve as a measure for this purpose if the time of the float passing that distance is noted closely. State in what part of the stream this measure is taken. Compare the sounding-line with the tape-line, and always record the comparison.

Each engineer (second and third) should have an azimuth-compass, if practicable, with a metal circle instead of paper, as the latter is useless after a drenching. The way in which the numbers round the circle increase is to be noted. Take bearings of the gradienter and the other staff as checks, and then upon all objects of interest visible, especially upon any signal that may have been set up to mark the mouth of some stream, &c., and tangents to all bends in the river, estimating their distance, &c.

With the hand-level the heights of the banks should be measured at every staff station; lines of approximate levels may be run to any hillock, &c.

At each stopping-place, observations will be made of the aneroid, with the temperature, time, and its relation to the zero of the staff. The aneroids are to be compared with the steel barometer as often as practicable.

The telescope will be necessary to observe the movements and signals of the first engineer. It should have a graduated *glass scale* in the focus, for obtaining distances; should be substantially made and portable; and should have good definition, with adequate power. One scale is graduated for the average height of a man, (5 feet 6 inches,) as a base, up to 2,000 yards; and also a regular scale of about forty divisions, whose value must be determined before going into the field. I have one in which ten divisions of the scale subtend 10 feet on the leveling rod at 1,094 yards, and have had capital results at that distance. A table is readily constructed from such figures, and entered with the argument of feet and decimals subtended on the rod by ten divisions.

The 50-foot brass-wired tape-line is to be used to measure and compare the sounding-line, and the line for measuring the width of rivers, and running courses and distances. As far as practicable it will be reserved as a standard and for special measures.

A watch is necessary to note the time of all observations and operations, to be compared as often as practicable with the pocket-chronometer of the first engineer.

Hawser-laid twine (about 500 feet) is required for measuring the width of streams and for sounding them; also for use as a heaving-line over boughs of trees that require ascending.

Each engineer should have two section-books ruled in squares of about $\frac{1}{4}$ inch; in these should be drawn the general course and features of the river, the height, slope, and formation of the banks; the entrances of other streams; the observations upon mountains, and all topographical details; the widths and cross-sections of streams, &c. One page may be reserved for observations; the other for plan, &c. Each side of the squares may represent 200 feet, and with this considerable detail can be entered according to scale. The squares assist in laying off the angles observed. Full notes should be recorded on the spot, so that the memory may not be taxed to recollect facts about disputed points.

For signals upon which bearings only are required, tack up a square of white signal-stuff with the angles of the square up, so as to present a "diamond" shape. For distance, use a piece 5 feet long and half the width of the cloth. Square flags of this white cloth may be used for flag-signals to communicate with the other boats. For this purpose use the heliotrope alphabet of Appendix B, merely adopting one wave from perpendicular by the *right* to horizontal, as the dot; and one wave from perpendicular to left, as the dash.

APPENDIX A.

INSTRUMENTAL OUTFIT.

CHIEF ENGINEER.—Six-inch vertical circle; pocket-chronometer; pocket-sextant; azimuth-compass, metal circle; hand-level; aneroid, small size; telescope for distances, &c., or opera-glass; 10-foot steel measure for standard; pocket-dividers and scale; note-books, pencils, knife, twine, fish-hooks, matches, hatchet, telegraph-climber, sportsman's filter; rubber haversack; a Davidson heliotrope, on Paca or Pirré, under charge of officer from vessel, with azimuth-compass and sextant.

FIRST ASSISTANT ENGINEER.—Gradiometer, with vernier-reader; pocket-chronometer; pocket-sextant; azimuth-compass; hand-level; steel barometer and one pound of mercury; water-level, for reserve; box drawing-instruments; telescope for distances, clamp and screw; small box instrumental tools; Davidson heliotrope; sounding-rod, tape line, 500 feet twine hawser-laid, and one pound lead; tin chart-case; sportsman's filter; backed paper with protractor printed on tracing-muslin; books, pencils, knife, fish-hooks, matches, hatchet, nails, tacks, signal-stuff, telegraph-climber; rubber haversack.

SECOND AND THIRD ASSISTANT ENGINEERS, EACH.—Leveling and distant rod; watch; azimuth-compass; aneroid-barometer; thermometers, wet and dry; hand-level; telescope for distances, &c., clamp and screw; 50-foot tape line, 500-foot hawser-laid line, and one pound lead; spade; sportsman's filter; books, pencils, knife, fish-hooks, matches, nails, tacks, and signal-stuff; rubber haversack.

APPENDIX B.

USE OF THE HELIOTROPE FOR COMMUNICATING MESSAGES, ETC.

Let the two heliotropes show to each other; when each sees the other let them announce the fact by a rapid series of a dozen flashes by passing the hand before the ray and removing it quickly. The recognition being mutually established, and it is desired by either party to communicate any message, show a dozen flashes in pairs, then keep the heliotrope on until the party is ready to commence.

The simplest way of showing signal-flashes, when no mechanical contrivance is affixed to the heliotrope, will be to interpose the hand to cut off the ray, and to remove it for the flash or prolonged flash.

Use the following alphabet for the spelling, wherein the dots represent *flashes*, and the dashes represent *prolonged flashes*. Let the flash be about $\frac{1}{4}$ of a second duration, the interval the same, and the prolonged flash about $\frac{3}{4}$ of a second. Practice will determine these times:

a = - - -	j = - - - -	r = - - - -	z = - - - -	7 = - - - -
b = - - - -	k = - - - -	s = - - - -	& = - - - -	8 = - - - -
c = - - - -	l = - - - -	t = - - - -	1 = - - - -	9 = - - - -
d = - - - -	m = - - - -	u = - - - -	2 = - - - -	0 = - - - -
e = - - - -	n = - - - -	v = - - - -	3 = - - - -	, = - - - -
f = - - - -	o = - - - -	w = - - - -	4 = - - - -	; = - - - -
g = - - - -	p = - - - -	x = - - - -	5 = - - - -	. = - - - -
h = - - - -	q = - - - -	y = - - - -	6 = - - - -	? = - - - -
i = - - - -				

APPENDIX C.

FORM OF RECORD OF LEVELINGS, COURSES, AND DISTANCES WITH WÜRDEMANN'S GRADIENTER.

The following memoranda must be entered in the first page of the record:

In instrument No. — the horizontal circle reads by vernier to 1', and the numbers increase with the numbers on watch face. Value of the distance-wires determined — date — place. From collimator-wire to either extreme *ten feet* is subtended at the distance of — *yards*.

Form of record of levelings, courses, and distances with Würdemann's gradienter.

Date.	Baksights.						+	Foresights.									
Station.	Needle of zero vernier reads.	Rod reads on circle.	Bearing from N. round by E.	Reduced dis- tances.	Distance-wires subtend on rod.	Leveling rod reads.		Leveling rod reads.	Distance-wires subtend on rod.	Reduced dis- tances.	Bearing from N. round by E.	Rod reads on circle.		+	-	Rise.	Fall.
				Yards.	Feet.	Feet.		Feet.	Feet.	Yards.							
1.....	37-25	287-33	70-08	648	7.2	2.35		3.56	6.4	576	101-15	138-40			1.21		1.21
2.....	Etc...	Etc...	Etc...	603	6.7	4.49		6.19	7.3	657	Etc...	Etc...			1.70		2.91
3.....				531	5.9	9.58		6.21	5.0	450				3.37		0.46	
4.....				396	4.4	8.67		7.65	5.2	468				1.02		1.48	
5.....				549	6.1	6.07		9.13	5.7	513					3.06		1.58
6.....				324	3.6	5.89		3.72	4.2	378				2.17		0.59	
7.....				405	5.5	7.97		4.27	4.8	432				3.70		4.29	Chk.
Etc...				Etc...	Etc...	Etc...		Etc...	Etc...	Etc...				Etc...		Etc...	
				3,546	39.4	45.02		40.73	38.6	3,474				10.26	5.97		
						40.73			39.4	3,546				5.97			
						4.29	Check.	78.0	=7,020	Check.				4.29	Chk.		

All notes and memoranda of other courses, vertical angles, &c., will be entered on the page facing the level record, with proper references for identification of station, &c.

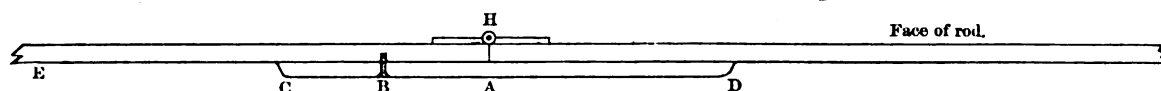
The days upon which observations are made will be known by the letters of the alphabet in addition to their proper designation. For instance, the first, second, and third days of observation will be known as *a*, *b*, *c*, (besides the regular day of the month,) and the stations occupied on these days will be known on the map as *a*¹, *a*², &c., *b*¹, *b*², &c., *c*¹, *c*², &c.

APPENDIX D.

ROD FOR LEVELING, DISTANCE, AND STATION-MARK FOR COURSES.

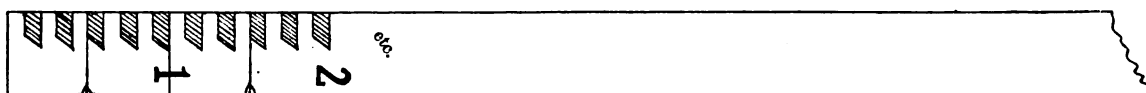
One rod to the second engineer and another to the third engineer.

The rod is proposed to be 12 feet long, 5 inches wide, and 1 inch thick, hinged in the middle for ease of transportation. Two hinges are fastened to the face at H. A batten at the back, about



30 inches long, (CD,) is screwed upon the staff to keep it open and firm when in use. The screw B is the only one through the batten never removed, for when the rod is folded for traveling all the other screws are removed and the batten revolved on this screw so that the long arm BD is turned toward E, when the end C will come opposite H. The batten is then screwed on for traveling and the two faces of the staff screwed together, and in this condition it is slipped into a long sack. When once on the exploration, it is not expected that the rod will be folded after once extended.

The rod is painted black or dull red, with white (or tinted) divisions every alternate tenth of a foot, and white block figures. My experience is that the white spaces, by irradiation, overpower



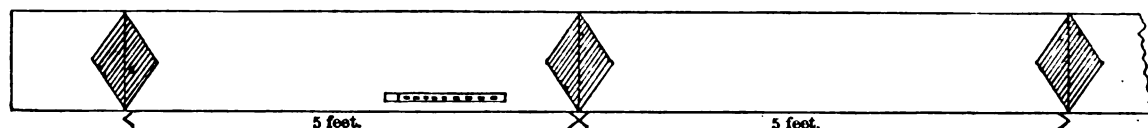
the black spaces as it were, and at long distances in a bright day reduce the apparent size of the black to one-fourth of the white spaces, and hence there is great difficulty in observing and unsatisfactory results. I suggest and intend to try the use of a faint tint to the white, and a change

in the body of the rod from black to dull red, especially as the latter will serve admirably to arrest the eye of the observer quickly when working through dark woods, &c.

The first assistant engineer with the gradienter is to read the leveling-rod himself both for levels and distances, although it would add check to his work to have a temporary target, capable of moving along the edge of the rod, and being elevated or depressed according to signals of the observer, so that the feet and tenths may be checked and noted by the second and third engineers.

With the Würdemann gradienter I have made good observations for distance at 1,100 yards in the cut of a railroad, with a boiling atmosphere; but would not recommend over 500 yards on the river, even if that can be often obtained.

On the back of the rod painted black, (or dull red,) I had painted three white lozenge-shaped marks five feet apart, to be used for distances with any gradienter furnished with micrometer carrying-distance wires, if the observer prefer these marks to the level graduations; and also for the use of the back sight when choosing his new position ahead of the foresight and seeing the back of



his rod. To keep the rod perpendicular, a slab about 10 inches long and 1 inch wide is cut through the rod at any convenient place, and a bullet hung in this by a piece of thread.

APPENDIX E.

Hourly range of the barometer, or corrections to barometric readings, (reduced to 32°,) for any hour of the day, to reduce them to the minimum of the day, subtractive; computed from thirty-nine months' hourly observations, at Girard College, Philadelphia, by George Davidson.

Month.	Mid-night.	1 a. m.	2 a. m.	3 a. m.	4 a. m.	5 a. m.	6 a. m.	7 a. m.	8 a. m.	9 a. m.	10 a. m.	11 a. m.
	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>In.</i>	<i>In.</i>	<i>In.</i>	<i>In.</i>	<i>In.</i>	<i>In.</i>	<i>In.</i>	<i>In.</i>	<i>In.</i>	<i>In.</i>	<i>In.</i>
January	0.036	.036	.043	.045	.038	.036	.042	.056	.066	.072	.072	.056
February .....	.037	.036	.032	.026	.026	.028	.033	.039	.053	.059	.059	.056
March .....	.043	.037	.036	.024	.026	.031	.044	.052	.058	.059	.055	.048
April .....	.040	.036	.030	.029	.032	.040	.055	.066	.070	.070	.066	.057
May .....	.028	.022	.018	.020	.022	.035	.048	.058	.063	.062	.059	.052
June .....	.035	.026	.023	.024	.029	.039	.049	.057	.061	.060	.056	.052
July .....	.047	.039	.034	.030	.033	.042	.051	.061	.062	.060	.059	.053
August .....	.033	.028	.023	.020	.020	.028	.041	.050	.053	.056	.052	.049
September .....	.031	.027	.020	.019	.024	.031	.041	.050	.056	.061	.060	.052
October .....	.028	.027	.022	.019	.024	.033	.042	.053	.062	.063	.060	.051
November .....	.043	.041	.041	.040	.040	.046	.049	.058	.067	.070	.069	.056
December .....	.038	.037	.043	.044	.041	.041	.049	.056	.065	.070	.074	.055
Mean .....	.037	.033	.030	.028	.030	.036	.045	.055	.061	.063	.062	.053
Month.	Noon.	1 p. m.	2 p. m.	3 p. m.	4 p. m.	5 p. m.	6 p. m.	7 p. m.	8 p. m.	9 p. m.	10 p. m.	11 p. m.
	<i>Inches.</i>	<i>In.</i>	<i>In.</i>	<i>In.</i>	<i>In.</i>	<i>In.</i>	<i>In.</i>	<i>In.</i>	<i>In.</i>	<i>In.</i>	<i>In.</i>	<i>In.</i>
January	0.031	.006	.000	.004	.006	.015	.024	.038	.037	.038	.037	.034
February .....	.041	.018	.003	.000	.002	.008	.016	.024	.031	.038	.042	.040
March .....	.035	.020	.003	.000	.002	.013	.025	.040	.045	.054	.056	.061
April .....	.043	.030	.017	.007	.000	.004	.010	.019	.038	.043	.046	.051
May .....	.042	.031	.018	.007	.003	.000	.005	.015	.028	.041	.048	.051
June .....	.044	.032	.020	.012	.005	.000	.008	.013	.022	.029	.039	.039
July .....	.045	.043	.021	.010	.003	.000	.000	.005	.014	.018	.022	.025
August .....	.041	.030	.016	.007	.001	.000	.004	.011	.025	.032	.036	.036
September .....	.043	.026	.011	.001	.000	.002	.007	.012	.025	.036	.040	.037
October .....	.035	.016	.005	.001	.000	.006	.014	.025	.033	.040	.043	.043
November .....	.033	.013	.003	.000	.005	.013	.021	.032	.035	.036	.038	.035
December .....	.031	.010	.001	.000	.002	.008	.015	.022	.026	.027	.029	.030
Mean .....	.039	.023	.010	.004	.002	.006	.012	.021	.030	.036	.040	.040

APPENDIX F.

TO PACK AND UNPACK AND TO REFILL THE STEEL BAROMETER AS MADE BY WÜRDEMANN.

The wooden case of the barometer forms also its tripod stand. When taking it out of its case, lay it horizontal with the letters U P uppermost; take off the ring clamps, when the two upper legs can be opened, and the barometer found lying in the lower leg. Take out the barometer, set up the stand and pass the upper part of the barometer through the top of the stand from below, and hang the gimbals of the barometer in the bearings in the top of the stand; the barometer will then hang perpendicularly. Turn the cock at the lower end of the barometer by moving the lever upward, when the mercury will rise in the glass cylinder. Make the contact of the point of the piston-rod in the glass cylinder with the surface of the mercury, and read off the scale.

When packing for transportation, bring the barometer nearly horizontal until most of the mercury passes into the glass cylinder, leaving about $\frac{1}{2}$ of an inch in the glass; turn the cock horizontal and pack. It is safest to leave this quantity of mercury out, as otherwise an increase of temperature might force the mercury through, to the damage of the air-tight fittings. The barometer should have a leather case and shoulder strap.

The wrench and steel pin packed with the barometer are used in the operation of refilling the barometer. To do this close the cock, affix the wrench to the upper part of the tube, about 5 inches from the top, where two plain parallel surfaces are worked to receive it. Pass the steel pin through the hole at the top, and unscrew the cap, being careful not to lose the hard-steel plain disk in the top of it. Fill the empty space in the tube with mercury until it is somewhat above the edge of the tube, being careful that no dirt is on the surface or the edge of the tube. Lay the hard-steel disk on the top of the mercury column, put on the cap, and screw down tightly. Then open the cock and let out $\frac{1}{2}$ of an inch of mercury, and remove it carefully from the glass cylinder. Bring the barometer horizontal, and incline it repeatedly that the vacuum may pass over all the small air bubbles in the column. Bring the barometer upright and go through the process of refilling; when the barometer may be judged completely filled, open the cock, and the scale will give nearly the correct barometrical readings.

When a little mercury is let out of the steel tube and the cock closed, it is easy to detect the presence of air above the column by the muffled sound emitted when the mercury, by a quick movement downward of the barometer, is made by its inertia to strike the top of the tube. When the vacuum is perfect, the sound is sharp and clear as metal upon metal.

To get the mercury out of the glass cylinder when necessary, unclamp the slide carrying the steel point and index-vernier, and carefully withdraw it; then remove all the particles of mercury.

APPENDIX G.

METHODS OF ASCERTAINING THE DISCHARGE OF WATER IN ANY STREAM.

Measure the width of the stream, and make sufficiently numerous soundings across it to give its cross-section. If this cross-section is irregular, divide it into partial areas so small that the velocity throughout each may be considered unvarying. The velocity in all parts of the cross-section should be actually measured for close results, and a mean of the velocities taken for the mean velocity of the stream. The discharge of the stream is equal to the sum of the partial areas of cross-section by their respective velocities.

The best method of measuring the mean velocity is by means of double floats; one for the surface, the lower one at a specified depth. Humphreys recommends kegs without top or bottom, with strips of lead to keep them upright, for lower floats; size, 12 inches high, 8 inches diameter, and connected with the upper float by line $\frac{1}{2}$ inch diameter. The upper float of pine board $5\frac{1}{2}$ by $5\frac{1}{2}$ by $\frac{1}{2}$, with flag attached to this float by a foot of wire. The length of line connecting the two floats will, of course, be such as to permit the lower one to sink to a given depth, say mid-depth, of the vertical plane in which the velocity is to be measured. A good substitute for the keg can doubtless be readily improvised from a box, or an ordinary meat-can; in fact, many good substitutes and

methods will readily suggest themselves for approximate results according to the ever-varying circumstances of the case.

The time of the flag passing a measured distance is to be carefully noted, as well as the distance of its course from the shore, &c.

If the stream is small and considerable exactness is required, the boat should be secured at various equidistant stations, the banks being reckoned as two of them, and the actual mid-depth velocity ($V_{\frac{1}{2}}D$) measured by the best available method.

A close approximation to the discharge can be then obtained by using the mean of all the different station mid-depth velocities. In this method there are two causes of error which nearly balance each other, namely, the inequality in area of the different divisions of the cross-section, and the difference between the mid-depth velocity $V_{\frac{1}{2}}D$, and the mean velocity V_m in any vertical plane.

Notation, Formulae, &c. (Unit=one English foot.)

l =length of a limited part of the river.

$h=h'+h''$ =the difference of level of the water-surface at the two extremities of the length l .

h' =that part of h consumed in overcoming the resistances of the channel, supposed to be straight, and of nearly uniform cross-section.

h'' =that part of h consumed in overcoming the resistances of bends and important irregularities of cross-section.

$s=\frac{h'}{h}$ =the sine of the slope, or the fall of water-surface in one English foot, considering the channel straight and nearly uniform.

H =the fall of water-surface in one English mile.

a =area of cross-section.

p =length of wetted perimeter.

$r=\frac{a}{p}$ =mean radius, or hydraulic mean depth.

$r'=\frac{a}{p+W}$ =mean radius prime.

Q =discharge in cubic feet per second.

$v=\frac{Q}{a}$ =mean velocity of the stream in feet per second.

D =depth of the stream at any given point of the surface.

W =width of the surface of the river at any given locality where the cross-section and velocity are measured.

$V_{\frac{1}{2}}D$ =velocity in feet per second, at mid-depth, in any vertical plane parallel to the current.

α =angle of incidence of the water in passing round a bend. It is always assumed about equal to 30° , and the effect of the bend estimated by determining the number of such deflections necessary to pass round it. We, however, give a simpler but empirical rule.

b =coefficient of mean velocity.

M =the excess of distance measured by the course of the river over the air-line between given points. This distance measured in miles is reckoned as *that many feet*.

From the mid-depth velocities $V_{\frac{1}{2}}D$ in each plane we obtain the mean velocity, by the formula—

$$v=1.075 V_{\frac{1}{2}}D+.004 b-.093 (V_{\frac{1}{2}}D \cdot b)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

where—

$$b=\frac{1.7}{(D+1.5)^{\frac{1}{2}}} \text{ and } 1.075 \text{ constant.}$$

If we call a the area of cross-section, and a' , &c., the partial division areas, we can find the discharge by—

$$Q = v a = [a' (V \frac{1}{2} D) - \frac{1}{12} (b \cdot v)^{\frac{1}{2}}]$$

where [] denotes the sum of similar quantities.

If the fall of the water-surface is measured by the levelings, and r' determined from actual measurement; or, if v and r' are measured, Humphreys gives the following formulæ:

$$v = ([225 r' \cdot s]^{\frac{1}{2}} - .09 b)^2$$

$$s = \left(\frac{(v^{\frac{1}{2}} + .09 b)^4}{225 r'} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$r' = \frac{(v^{\frac{1}{2}} + .09 b)^4}{225 s^{\frac{1}{2}}}$$

and—

$$b = \frac{1.7}{(r' + 1.5)^{\frac{1}{2}}}$$

$$h'' = \frac{v^{\frac{1}{2}} \sin^2 a}{134}$$

$$\sin^2 a = \frac{1}{3} M$$

From these the value of Q can be found for the purposes required in this exploration.

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